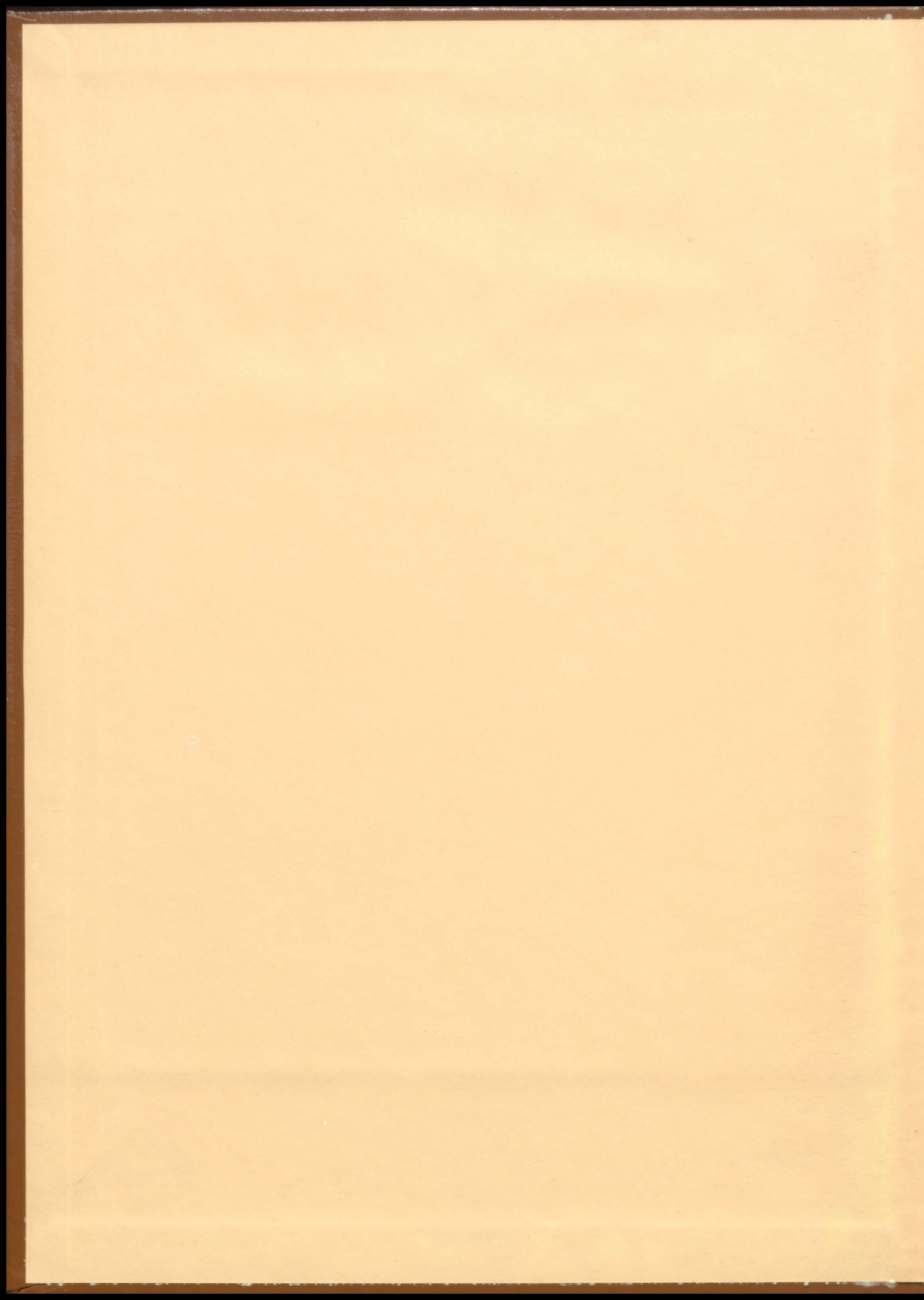
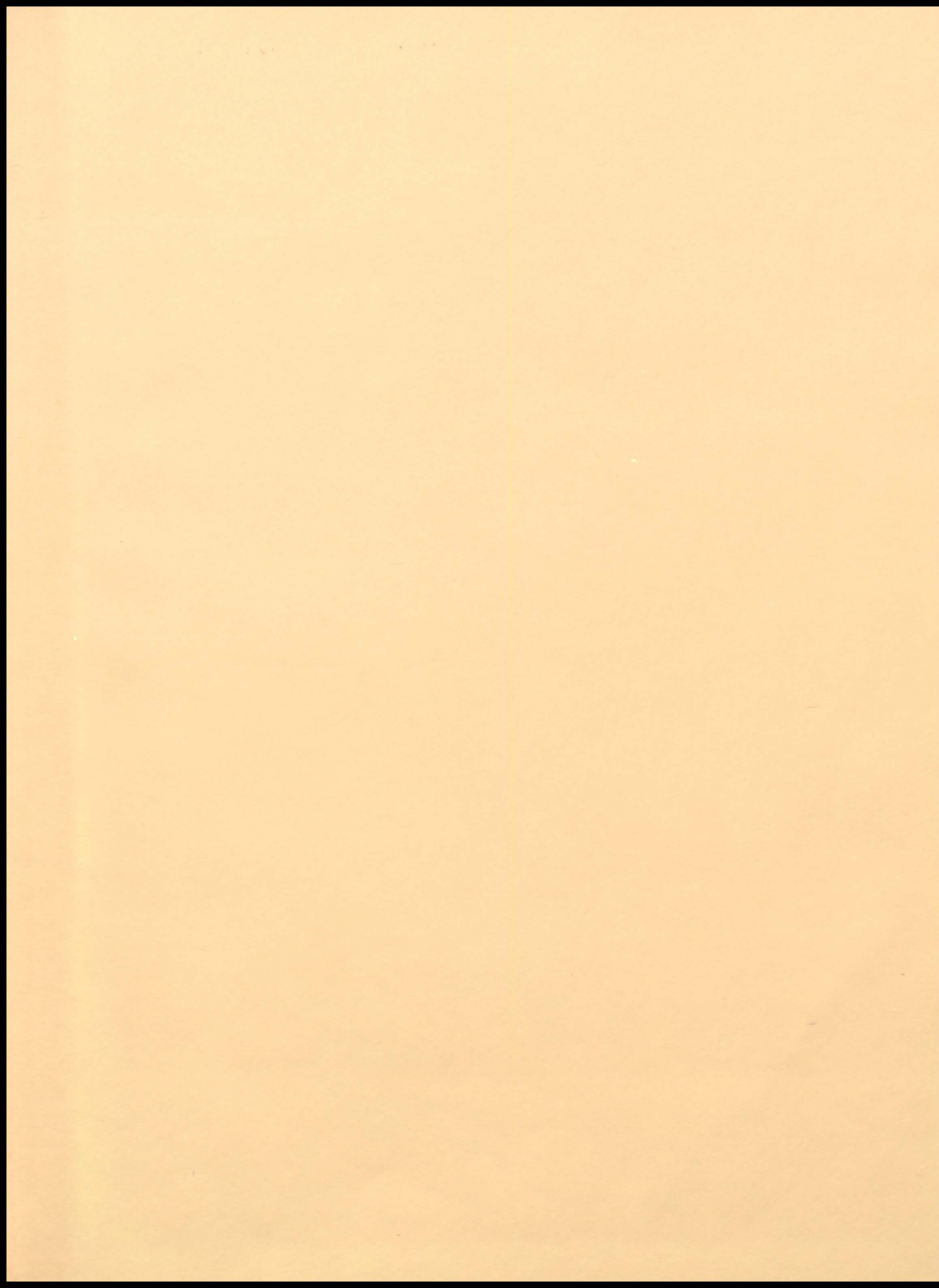


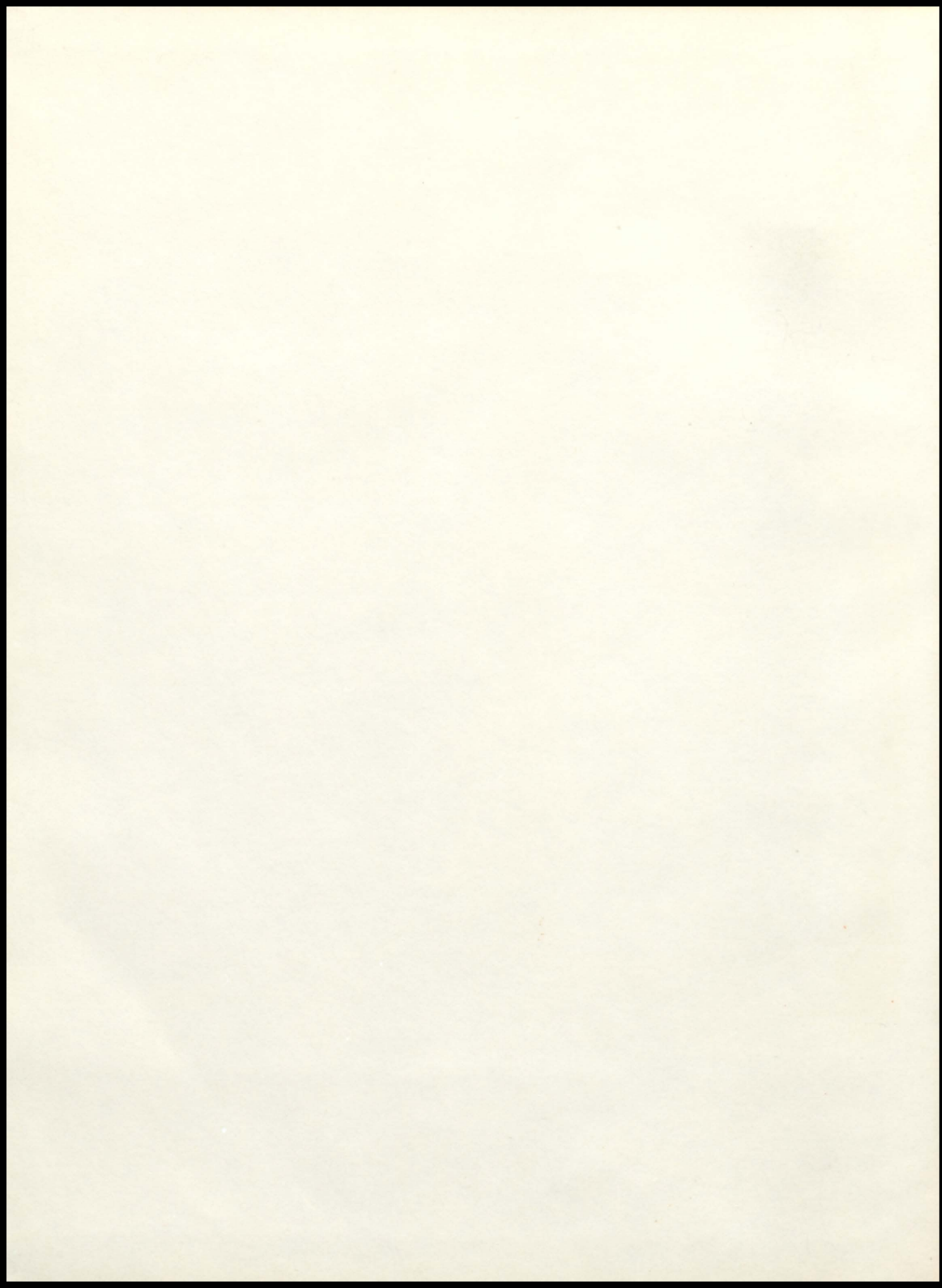
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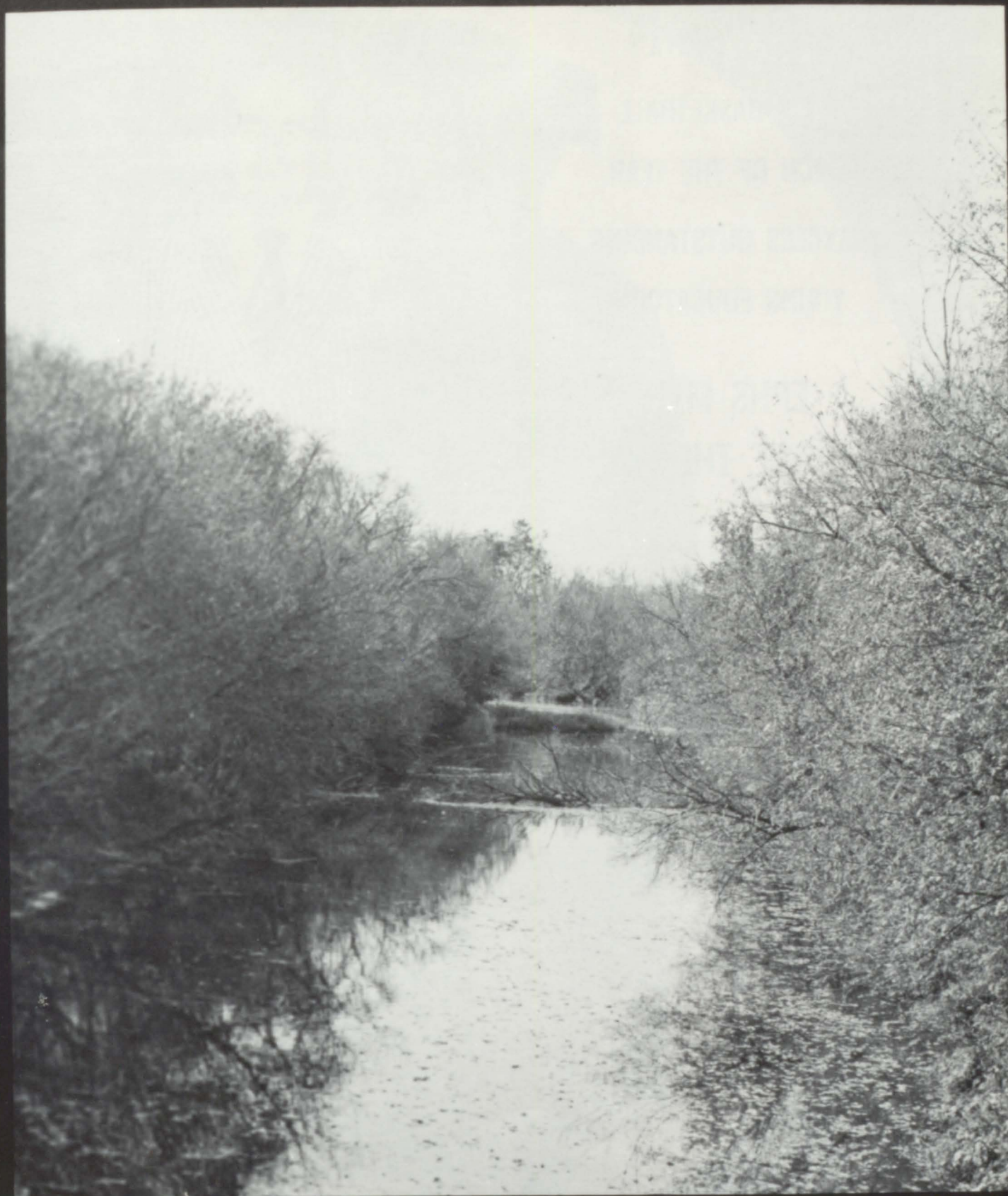


LOOKING
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NEW
HORIZONS
NEW FRIENDS AND
OLD FRIENDS

Make new friends, but keep the
old;
Those are silver, these are gold.
New-made friendships, like new
wine,
Age will mellow and refine.
Friendships that have stood the
test-
Time and change-are surely best;
Brow may wrinkle, hair grow
gray;
Friendship never knows decay.
For 'mid old friends, tried and
true,
Once more we our youth renew.
But old friends, alas! may die;
New friends must their place
supply.
Cherish friendship in your
breast-
New is good, but old is best;
Make new friends, but keep the
old;
Those are silver, these are gold.

-Joseph Parry



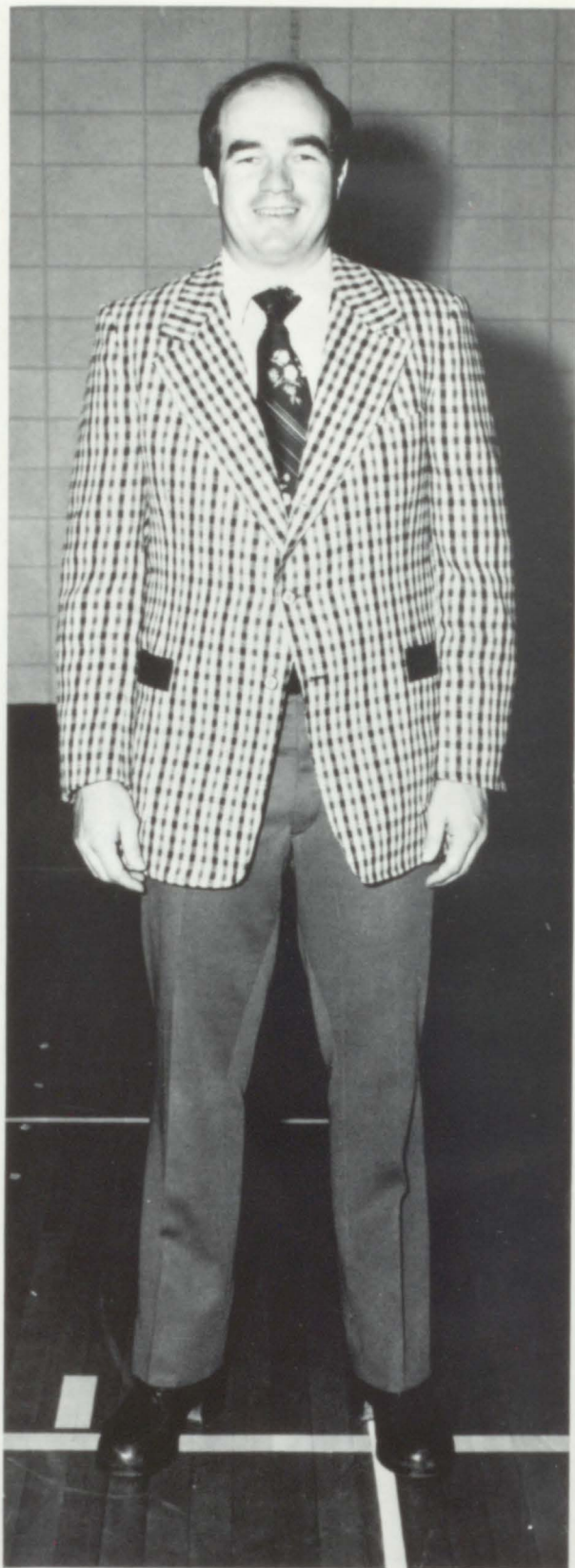


**SOUTH DAKOTA'S
BOYS BASKETBALL
COACH OF THE YEAR
JAYCEES OUTSTANDING
YOUNG EDUCATOR**

**EPHS MAN
OF THE
YEAR**

The individual we are about to speak of is one whom we, the students of EPHS, have grown to respect a great deal. A person, who as a teacher, has taught us the importance of achieving in the classroom. He has taught us to work hard in whatever we do. As a coach he has relayed to us there is more to athletics than just winning. The teams he has guided have always illustrated outstanding sportsmanship and discipline both on and off the court. As indicated by other honors already bestowed upon him, Jaycees Outstanding Young Educator and South Dakota Boys Basketball Coach of the Year, others feel as we do, this man is truly an asset to any school and community, therefore we would like to dedicate our annual to this man, Mr. Roger Schaffer.

By, Daryl Fletcher





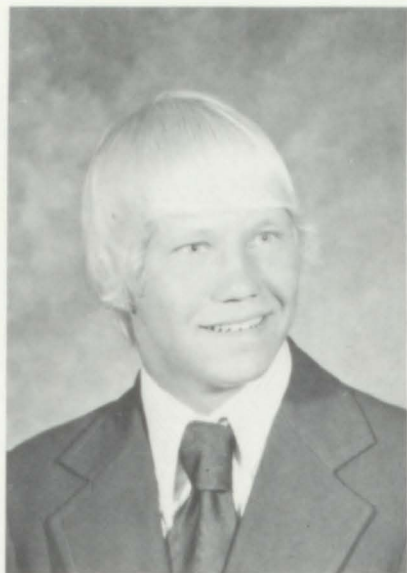
CLASSES



Steve Abraham



Cathy Barrett



Garret Boline

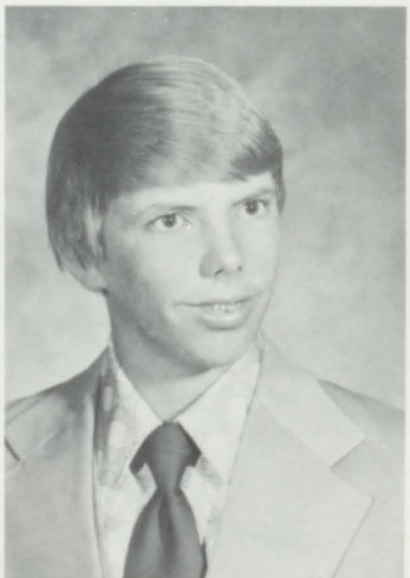


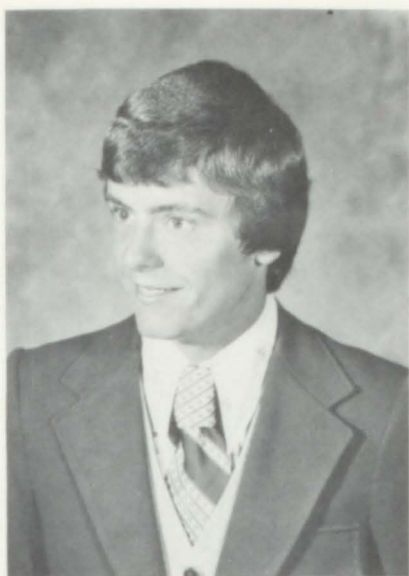
Pauline Chicoine

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Mike Crow

Leonard Cunningham





Russ Curry



Mary Dennison



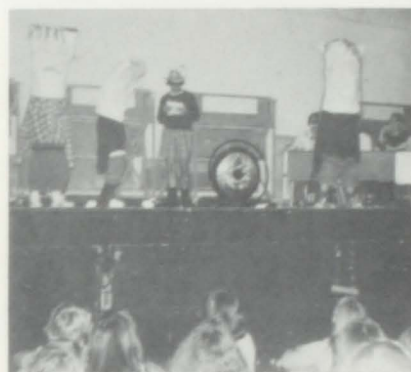
Joni Donnelly

CLASS MOTTO

"To look up and not down.
To look forward and not back.
To look out and not in,
and to lend a hand."

Tom Dunham

Ann Erickson

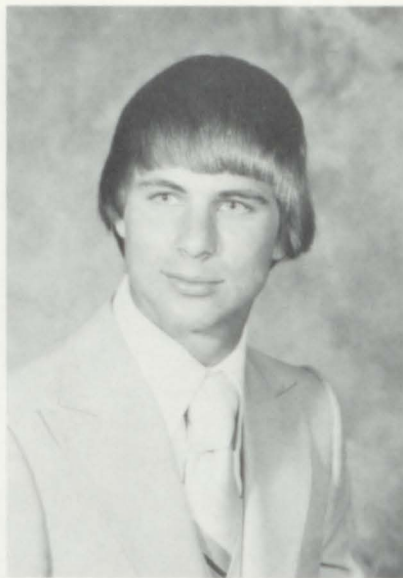


Lisa Erickson





Robin Eslick



Gary Franey



Debbie Girard



Kim Groethe

CLASS COLORS

Light Blue And Ivory

CLASS FLOWERS

White Carnation And Ivory Rose

Angie Guimond

Ann Hanson

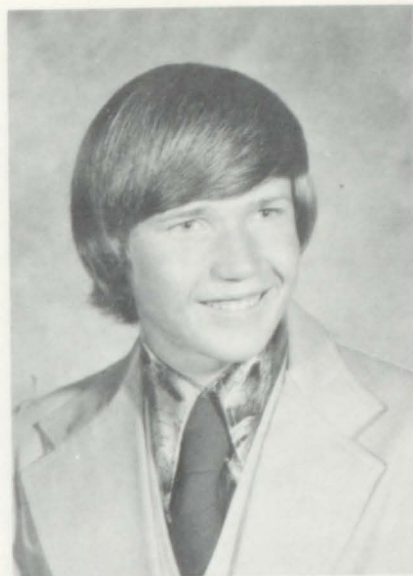




Darla Harkness



Rhonda Henze



Gary Hieb

I really don't know where to start, but they start at the beginning so I'll start with September 1974. We were the last "fortunate" freshman to be initiated officially. We endeavored flour in the face, tasted raw eggs, tabasco sauce and other goodies. In spite of it all, we became loyal Pointers. We can say it now, initiation was "sorta," fun.

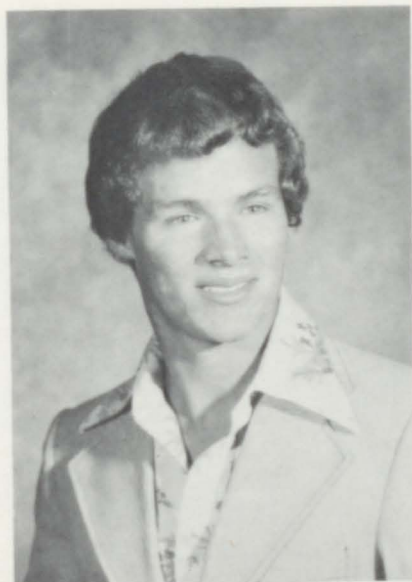
Our sophomore year was not exciting except we ordered our class rings.

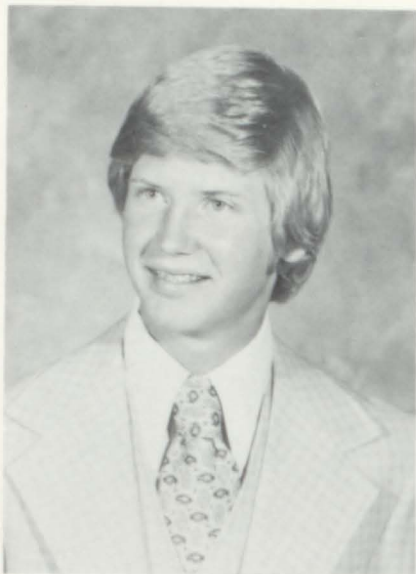


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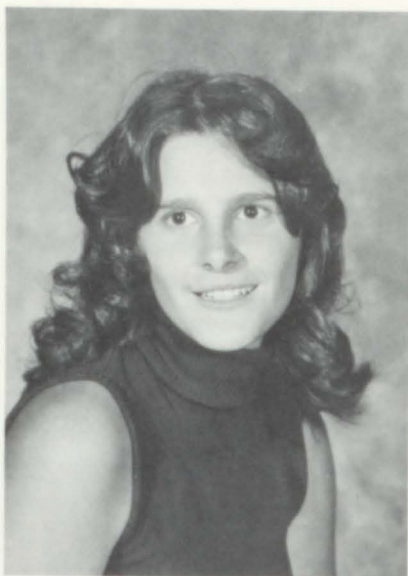
Kristi Holden

Sherri Honomichl





Doug Jones



Jeanette Jorgenson

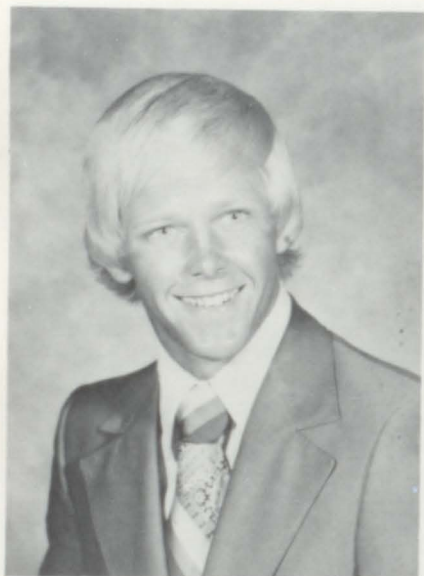


Kim (Bachtell) Jorgenson



We received our rings in the fall of our junior year. The year perked up for us as rehearsal for the junior class plays began. This kept us busy until the time came to sell magazines. A successful magazine drive gave us the funds to begin planning the Junior-Senior Prom. Our theme was "I Like Dreamin", and we went to the Oasis in Sioux City. The junior year will always be remembered for the jokes in American History.

Tim Kastrup

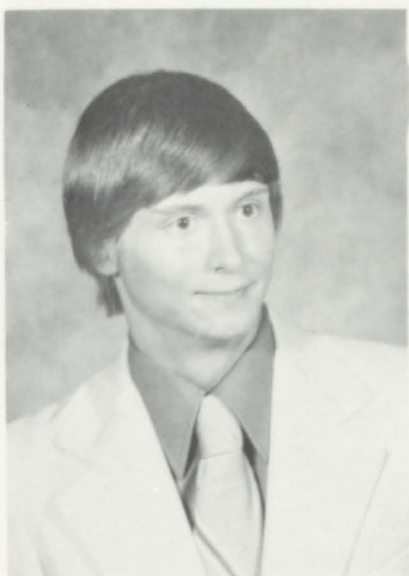


Debbie Knecht



Charley Kyte





Larry Lanning



Todd Larsen



Lisa Long

Finally, our Senior year came. The most disappointing part of being "mighty seniors" was not being allowed to carry out our three year plan for initiating those freshmen.

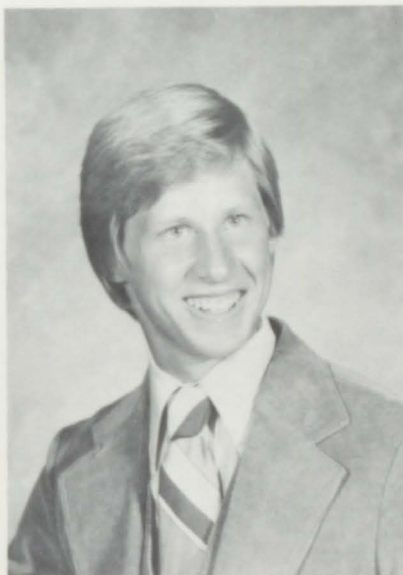
Despite all the new teachers, everything went well. Government class wasn't the same without Mr. McIntosh. We missed the old teachers and the new teachers will miss us.



Robin Markee

Craig Matson

Jeff Nelson





Anita Nickles



Penny Oberg



Gene Olson

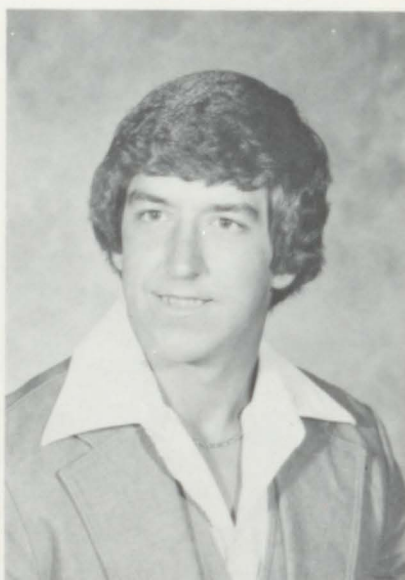


The high point of all four years at EPHS came in March 1978. Our boys basketball team not only made it to state for the first time, but gave favored and number one team Armour, a tough battle. We showed the state a great team who could lose gracefully. Everyone commended Elk Point for its sportsmanship. Being second in the state gave us plenty of reason to celebrate and we did!

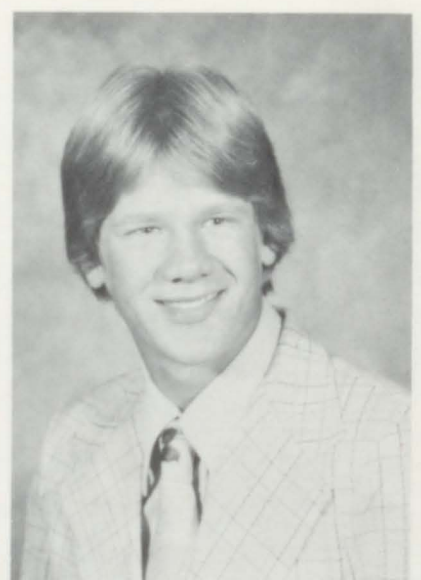
Lori Pace

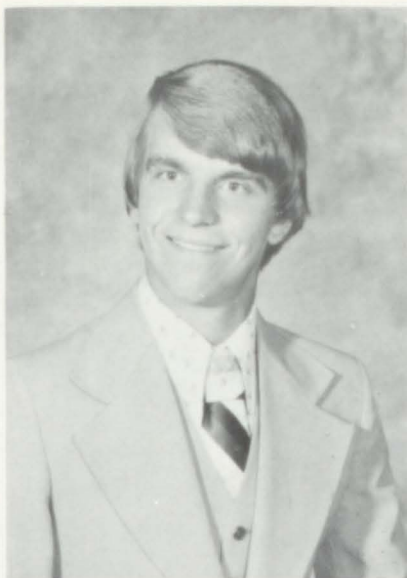


Chris Pederson



James Pratt





Richard Peterson



Jean Richardson



Joan Richardson

We first realized we were Seniors when we saw our Senior pictures. Ordering your announcements to their delivery in March (with the wrong symbol) to being measured for caps and gowns, all these steps led to those down the aisles.

Those final last days were busy ones. We had open seventh period the last quarter.

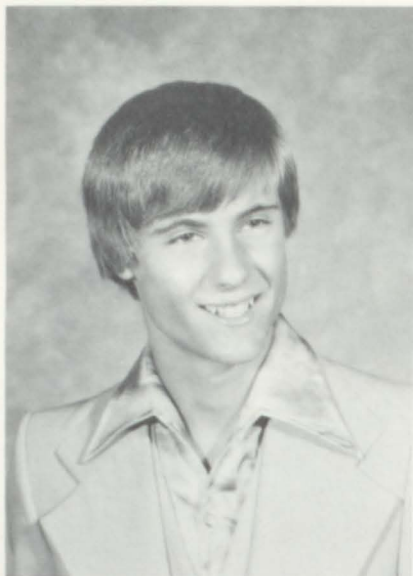


Susan Robinson

Pam Rosenbaum

Sheri Rosenbaum





Steve Rosenbaum



Kenny Schmitz



Lori Schoen



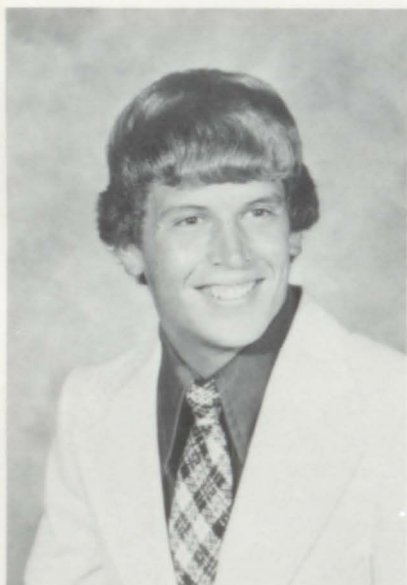
Prom with its theme of "This One's for You" came and went. Awards day found the seniors willing a variety of unusual "gifts" to underclassmen.

Finally the big day arrived and we were graduating. The day we had so happily looked forward to for four years had arrived and we suddenly wished it hadn't come so fast.

David Staum

Sandy Staum

Paula Stewart





Shirley Taylor



Mike Tucker



Mary Wood

We found ourselves saying,

"look up and not down.
look forward and not back.
look out and not in,
and to lend a hand."

but, we find it hard to follow at this time of new
changes occuring.



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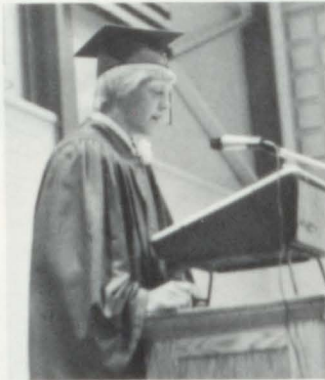
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SENIORS



This is one graduation that will be remembered in the lives of many Elk Point High School Students. This graduation signaled the end of their "protection" not from their parents but from the bonds of school.



OF

Graduation exercises were held Monday, May 22 for the 58 seniors of the class of '78. The class was led into the auditorium by Mr. and Mrs. Roger Schaffer. The Invocation was given by Sandy Staum; Master of Ceremonies was Rhonda Henze; Benediction was given by Lisa Erickson. Paula Stewart delivered the Valedictorian's address and Tim Kastrup gave the Salutatorian's address.

Scholarships were awarded to the following students. The PEO Award was given to Jean Richardson. American Legion Citizenship Awards were presented to Sandy Staum and Tim Kastrup. The VFW Award was given to Steve Abraham. Garrett Boline won the Charles D. Smith Scholarship. ESA presented scholarships to Charlet Kyte and Ann Erickson.

The Jaycette Scholarship went to Anita Nickles and the Jaycee Scholarship was presented to Tim Kastrup. Tim also received the PTO Scholarship.

Honor Students were Russell Curry, Kristi Holden, Tim Kastrup, Charlet Kyte, Craig Matson, Jean Richardson, Susan Robinson, Sandy Staum, Paula Stewart, Shirley Taylor, Michael Tucker, and Mary Wood.

And so the seniors of '78 bid Elk Point High School and each other farewell.

'78





Anita Nickles receiving the Jaycette Scholarship.



Charlet Kyte and Ann Erickson receiving the ESA award.



Paula Stewart, Valedictorian



Tim Kastrup was presented with the American Legion Award.



Garrett Boline received the Charles D. Smith Scholarship Award.



Jean Richardson was the recipient of the PEO Award.



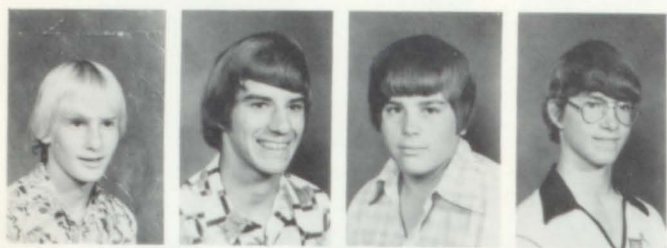
Pamela Rosenbaum entering.



Doug Jones, the Class President



Steve Abraham received the VFW Award.



Number '7' Left to right; top to bottom: Stu Bennett, Jack Bradshaw, Larry Brewer, Mark Broderson, Merrie Butler, Greg Carter, Brian Chicoine, Lori Chicoine.



Number '9' Left to right; top to bottom: Tony Chicoine, Rodney Crow, Colleen Curry, Terri Cunningham, Brian Davis, Mike DeSmet, Doug Donnelly, Becky Dunham, Kendall Erickson, Christi Gates, Keith George, Ronnie Graves.



ALMOST THERE



Class Officers: bottom to top; Lori Chicoine, Tres, Tony Chicoine, Sec, Colleen Curry, Pres, David Turner, Stud Coun Rep, Brenda Henze, Vice Pres.

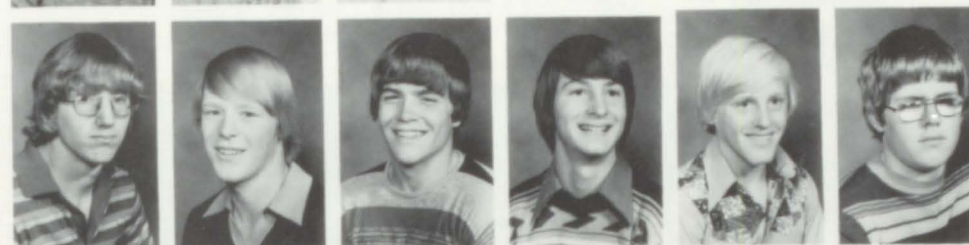




Jo Groethe
Rita Groethe
Dan Guillaume
Cheryl Haines
Denise Hanson
Terri Hanson



Brenda Henze
Joe Hinds
Rhonda Hitzemann
Terri Honomichl
Eddie Huffstetler
Shirley Hummel



Mitchell Johnson
Duane Kavanaugh
Doug Kayl
Paul Ketterling
Alan Knecht
Lonnie Lanning



Brenda Limoges
Ted McInerney
Sandy Morris
Kelly Nickles
Todd Norby
Todd Oberg



Allen Pace
Doug Pesika
Tammy Peskey
Peg Rehling
Daniel Rosenbaum
Eric Rosenbaum



Julie Rosenbaum
Patsy Rosenbaum
Starlet Rosenbaum
Al Skogen
Cindy Smith
Lori Steckelberg



Lyle Steckelberg
David Turner
Nancy Thorson
Eileen Workman
Rosanna Zakharian
Tim Zeller



Number '8' Left to right; top to bottom: Jim Akridge, Janet Thompson, Susanne Barrett, Blane Brummond, Leslie Casek, Kellen Chicoine, Nanette Chicoine, Robin Chicoine, Sheila DeSmet, Wanda Dunham, Carole Erickson, Gwen Flannery, Harold Franey, Keith Gates, Shelly Guimond, Sandy Guillaume.



STILL
YOUNG
AT
HEART

Number '0' Left to right; top to bottom: Rebecca Hanson, David Hatton, Rose Hieb, Karla Holden, Diane Jones, Kristy Kastrup, Tami Kayl, Darwin Knecht, Sharon Knecht, Dawn Knox, Jeff Kubal, Mike Limoges, Linda Livingston, Lynn McConahie.





Jim Mace
Ron Mead
Babette Merchant
Ruth Mikkleson
Kay Mockler
Louise Morris



Oliver Morris
Tim Murphy
John Nilges
Theresa O'Gurian
LeAnn Olson
Linda Olsen



Mike Olson
Linda Pecha
Ross Pederson
Tim Pesky
Bill Pohlen
Allison Quam



Karl Rosenbaum
Jim Rosenbaum
Lorie Rosenbaum
Randy Schoen
Brian Simmons
Scott Staum



Tim Sundleaf
Amy Talbott
Ann Turner
Jane Zacek

Receiving help?



Left to right: Sec-Tres Ann Turner,
Stud Coun Rep Linda Olsen, Pres
Jim Akridge, Vic Pres Scott Staum.





Number '8' Left to right; top to bottom:
Derek Bird, Jean Bjork, John Bowar,
Marla Broderson, Allan Brown, Jill Butler,
Rod Carter, Janine Chicoine, Ellen Curry,
Pat Davis, Theresa Dennison, Bryan
DeSmet, Amy Erickson, Lorraine Gapp,
Steve Geary, Greg George, Candy
Grangaard, Glenn Groethe.



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Number '1' Left to right; top to bottom:
Susan Guillaume, Dianne Hanson, Gregg
Hanson, Kim Hanson, Theresa Hanson,
Lora Hatton, Sherri Hoffman, Ronalee
Hummel.



FRESHMEN
WORK
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Tom Hummel
Terry Irwin
Harrison Jones
Debbie Kavanaugh
Greg Kayl
Cary Koester



Bruce Laferriere
Todd Lane
Rachelle Larsen
Ann Lawrence
John Malloy
Roy Markee



Deborah Milburn
Chad Nelson
Ernie Nickles
Keith Nickles
Chris Oberg
Kelly O'Gurian



Tanya Oswalt
Vaughnelle Peniska
Devin Pesicka
Deb Petersen
Deb Pojunos
Lynda Pratt



Cindy Rosenbaum
Kelly Rosenbaum
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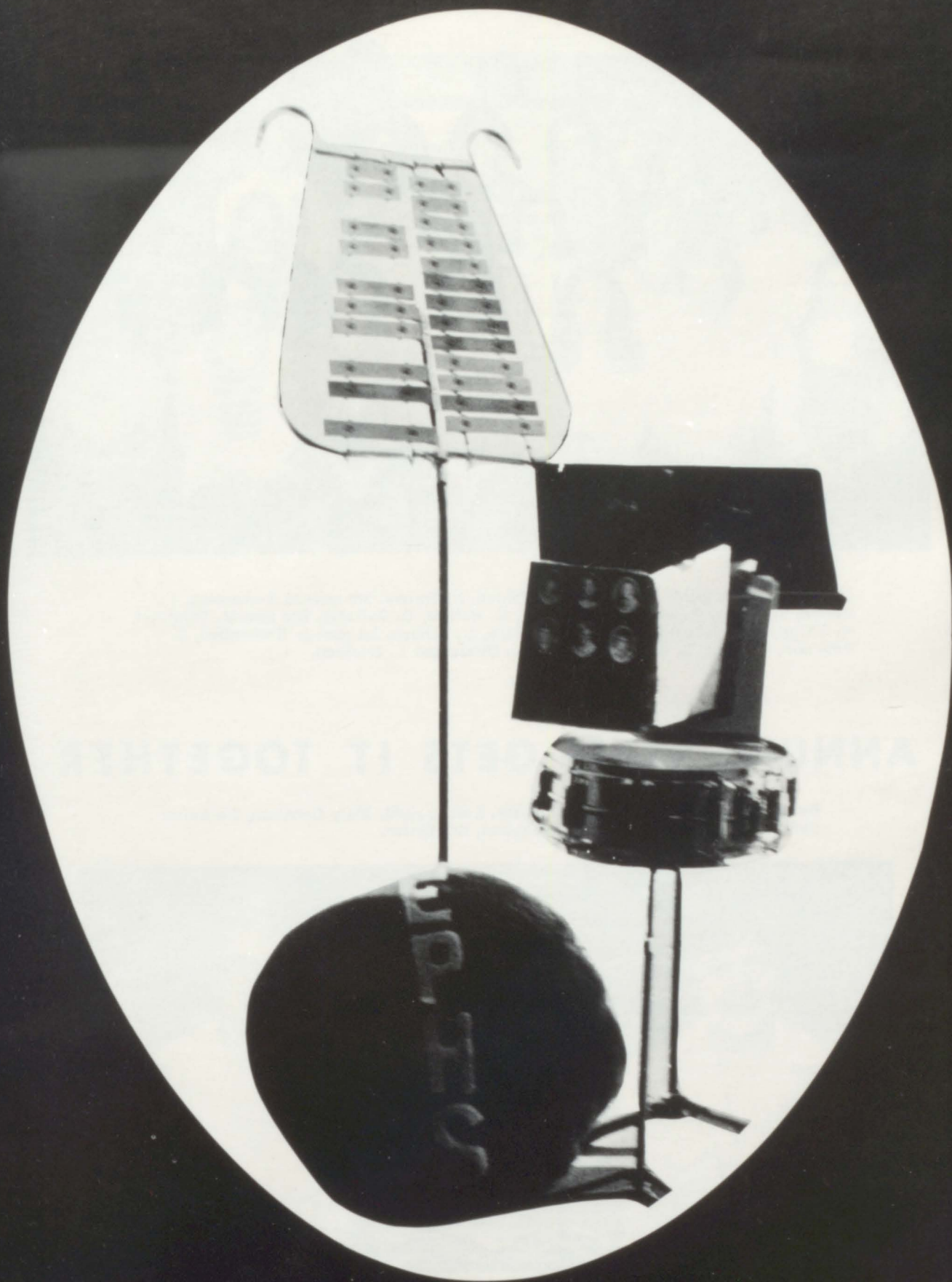


David Vinzant
Laurie Wood

Class Officers, Clockwise: Teresa Staum, Sec-Tres, Deb Peterson, Vice-Pres, Pat Davis, Stud Coun Rep, Chad Nelson, Pres.







ORGANIZATIONS



Back row, left to right- D. Milburn, B. Pohlen, H. Franey. 3rd row-Jo Richardson, L. Hatton, S. Morris, R. Chicoine, S. Staum, K. Holden, D. DeBates. 2nd row-M. Dennison, K. O'Gurian, P. Chicoine, B. Henze, L. Pace, L. Schoen. 1st row-Je Richardson, S. Robinson, C. Kyte, D. Knox, A. Turner, L. Olsen, and L. Erickson.

ANNUAL STAFF GETS IT TOGETHER

Below: Annual Staff Editors and Advisor. Left to right, Mary Dennison, Co-Editor, Deb DeBates, Advisor and Susan Robinson, CO-Editor.





L-R R 1: E. Workman, C. Curry, Advisor P. Skinner, S. Staum, T. Chicoine. R 2: R. Mikkelsen, L. Pace, S. Morris, D. Milburn, R. Chicoine, J. Zacek, E. Curry. R 3: K. Holden, L. Long, S. Hummel, K. Groethe, M. DeSmet, L. Olsen, D. Petersen, A. Erickson, P. Stewart, Not Pictured: M. Dennison

POINTER STAFF STRIVES FOR EXCELLENCE



EDITING THE PAPER?

LIBRARIANS WORK HARD

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Top left to Bottom right: Todd Oberg, Keith Nickles, Greg Carter, Roger Smith, Lonnie Lanning, Terry Irwin, Todd Staum, Greg Kayl, Chris Oberg, and Roy Markee.





STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS

Top R1 C Nelson, B Davis,
R2 D Turner, C Curry, B
Henze, V-Pres. R3 T
Kastrup, Pres; D Jones, K
(Bachtell) Jorgenson, Sec.;
C Matson. R4 J Akridge, L
Olsen.

Back K Holden, L Pratt, M Dennison, Advisor, John Guenthnor, C
Grangaard, E Curry, C Curry. Front B Brummond, A Hanson, J Butler,
L Hatton, D Milburn, D Peterson.



D E C L A M

SAY IT WITH MUSIC



Mixed Chorus:

1st row: R. Peterson, L. Lanning, G. Franey, S. Rosenbaum, S. Bennett, S. Abraham, C. Matson, J. Nelson, M. Hoffman, B. Davis, K. Erickson, D. Turner, T. Norby, B. Brummond, 2nd row: K. Schmitz, B. Chicoine, R. Curry, R. Carter, D. Bird, C. Nelson, H. Franey, K. Rosenbaum, R. Graves, R. Mead, J. Bower, B. Pohlen, T. Lane, P. Davis, R. Millage, Mrs. Torkelson, 3rd row: P. Rehling, S. Guillaume, J. Butler, L. Schoen, L. Pace, K.

Holden, J. Rosenbaum, S. Taylor, K. Holden, D. Girard, R. Eslick, E. Workman, A. Nickles, A. Guimond, C. Curry, R. Hieb, L. Livingston, P. Chicoine, D. Petersen, 4th row: R. Henze, K. Gates, D. Hanson, G. Flannery, M. Butler, B. Henze, K. Nickles, T. O'Gurian, L. Erickson, P. Stewart, A. Erickson, L. Long, K. Kastrup, K. Jones, L. Pecha, L. Morris, C. Erickson, D. Hanson, L. Hatton, L. McConahie.

The EPHS vocal department has been involved in numerous activities this year. Two of them are concerts and contest.

The vocal contest was a successful one. Elk Point received more ones than at any previous contest. The boy's and girl's ensembles, soloists, Gary

Franey, Jeff Nelson, Mark Hoffman, Ann Erickson, Kristy Holden, Peg Rehling, and Brenda Henze received superior ratings. The mixed ensemble and soloist Paula Stewart received excellent ratings.

Contemporary music is the focus of the spring concert. Choreography is being worked on by the madrigals and performances planned.

Girls Chorus:

1st row: P. Rehling, L. Gapp, L. Schoen, L. Pace, S. Taylor, J. Rosenbaum, K. Hanson, E. Workman, A. Guimond, D. Peterson, A. Nickles, L. Livingston, E. Curry, S. Hoffman, S. Hummel, R. Hitzemann, 2nd row: K. Kastrup, A. Erickson, J. Butler, L. Pratt, S. Barrett, K. Holden, C. Curry, L. McConahie, P. Chicoine, R. Hieb, T. Oswalt, J.

Bjork, K. Rosenbaum, Mrs. Torkelson, 3rd row: B. Henze, K. Holden, C. Koester, S. Guillaume, T. O'Gurian, D. Jones, R. Eslick, D. Girard, L. Morris, D. Pojunos, J. Chicoine, T. Staum, L. Pecha, 4th row: R. Henze, G. Flannery, K. Gates, K. Nickles, L. Erickson, P. Stewart, A. Erickson, L. Long, M. Butler, C. Erickson, D. Hanson, D. Hansen, L. Hatton, T. Hanson.





L to R, P. Stewart, L. Erickson, B. Henze, R. Henze, D. Hanson, K. Kastrup, S. Taylor.

Participants in All-State Chorus this year were Brenda Henze, Paula Stewart, Jeff Nelson, and Gary Franey. All-State Chorus was held in Sioux Falls this year and was conducted by a professor from the University of Oklahoma. Over a thousand high school students were involved. The choir was accompanied by the all state orchestra. This year, Ann Erickson and Brenda Henze were selected to participate in All-State Honors Choir. They were selected from a group of approximately 500 entrants. They took a sight-reading test, a written test, and



presented solos. Brenda and Ann were chosen, along with 148 other high school sophomores and juniors, as the 1977 All-State Honors Choir.

Honors Choir was held at Sioux Falls College in Sioux Falls. It consisted of a weeks worth of 8 hour a day practices, and also some special fun activities. A concert was presented on the last night. The choir was under the direction of Dr. Leonard Skinner from the University of Colorado at Boulder.

L to R, Brenda Henze, Anne Erickson.

L to R, J. Nelson, P. Stewart, B. Henze, G. Franey.





1st row: B. Brummond, P. Rehling, H. Franey, G. Flannery, G. Matson, A. Erickson, S. Bennett, B. Henze, 2nd row: G. Franey, S. Taylor, M. Hoffman, P. Stewart, B. Davis, K. Kastrup, J. Nelson, L.

Erickson, 3rd row: B. Pohlen, R. Henze, R. Mead, L. Long, R. Graves, M. Butler, S. Abraham, K. Holden, 4th row: K. Rosenbaum, C. Curry, E. Workman, D. Jones, and R. Curry compose the small group.



1st row: G. Franey, S. Rosenbaum, S. Bennett, H. Franey, S. Abraham, K. Erickson, L. Lanning, B. Davis, J. Nelson, 2nd row: R. Peterson, B. Chicoine, R. Curry, C. Nelson, D. Bird, C. Matson, M. Hoffman,

R. Carter, 3rd row: K. Rosenbaum, T. Norby, P. Davis, T. Lane, R. Millage, B. Pohlen, B. Brummond, 4th row: R. Mead, K. Schmitz, D. Turner, R. Graves, K. O'Gurian.







FRONT ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT); A Nickles, D Petersen, L Chicoine, C Gates, Je Richardson, R Mikkelson, C Grangaard, t Staum, J Chicoine, D Milburn. (2ND ROW) L Erickson, L Steckelberg, A Erickson, A Hanson, B Henze, A Lawrence, D Knox, T Peskey, D Hanson, S DeSmet. (3RD ROW) J Donnelly, L Pratt, K Holden, C Kyte, S Hummel, B Limoges, R Larsen, P Davis, T Hanson, M Dennison. (4TH ROW) G Flannery, A Talbott, J Malloy, C Erickson, N Thorson, L Olsen, J Bowar, Jo Richardson, R Erickson, R Hieb. (5TH ROW) Mrs. Boilard, D Kavanaugh, B Pohlen, B DeSmet, P Ketterling, B Simmons, D Taylor, B Brummond. (6TH ROW) T Chicoine, C Curry, A Turner,,E Huffstetler, H Franey, S Geary, J Bjork. (7TH ROW) E Nickles, D Bird, D Turner, An Erickson, R Henze, L Long, Da Hanson, E Curry, T Lane.

The Beginning of the Elk Point High School Band with its 63 members, including the majorettes, have goals to achieve much more this year then ever before. For the homecoming ceremonies they not only marched in the parade, as the past, but also they performed a half time show featuring, "Disney."

The band took several marching trips which included the SDSU Hobo and USD Dakota Day parades. They plan on doing more marching in the Spring.

An executive council was chosen by the students from each section of the band they belong to. They bring out any problems or new ideas that may arise.

The band plans to add more equipment. They have taken on many fund raising activities, such as chili suppers, record dances, and the selling of jackets. The money they receive will be put toward the purchasing of flags, overshoes, gloves, and future band trips.

The band is working harder this year then ever before, not only as a group but as individuals also. This year the band has taken many participants to All State Band tryouts, they came home with very good scores.



EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (ABOVE) TOP ROW (LEFT TO RIGHT); A Talbott, C Kyte, T Chicoine, D Kavanaugh. (2ND ROW) L Olsen, R Henze, K Holden, Je Richardson. (3RD ROW) A Erickson, D Hanson. (4TH ROW, FLOOR) B Henze, E Huffstetler.



BAND OFFICERS (LEFT) FROM TOP DOWN D Kavanaugh-President, E Huffstetler-Vice-President, B Henze-Secretary & Treasurer, A Erickson-Head Librarian, D Hanson-Assistant Librarian



That was not the end of them, groups were formed and they traveled to Vermillion to the band contest.

Alcester and Elk Point have planned an exchange concert.

A Jazz band has been organized for the first time. They performed at the PTO Carnival.

The band has improved greatly this year, as Mrs. Boilard always says "people are beginning to look."



Left to right: G Boline, D Jones, C Matson, D Staum, M Hoffman, L Lanning, T Larson, T Kastrup, G Hieb. 2nd: T Kayle, R Mikkleson, J Zacek, R Chicoine, S DeSmet, P Stewart, A Erickson, T Peskey, T Hanson, D Hanson. 3rd: K Kastrup, K Mockler, L Livingston, J Bjork, E Curry, J Butler, D Hanson, L Gapp, C Curry. 4th: M Butler, L Steckelberg, M Broderson, L Hatton, R Zakharian, D Pjonas, K Nickels, S Morris, C Gates, J Grothe, J Rosenbaum, 5th: A Quam, K Holden, L Pratt, L Pechka, T OGurian, L Olsen, S Hummel, D Milburn, T Oswell, S Guillaume. 6th: C Erickson, K Erickson, D Jones, R Beib, A Turner, T Staum, C Grandgaard, T Hanson, L Rosenbaum, C Rosenbaum, A Lawrence, L Erickson. 7th: J Donnelly, L Pace, L Schoen, R Henze, B Henze, L Long, A Nickels, S Staum, K Holden, B Merchant.

PEP CLUB

Officers D Hanson, L Erickson, P Rehling



LETTER WINNERS



CLUB

LETTER WINNERS CLUB

(top L to R) L Brewer, K Morris, R Graves, A Pace, D Guillaum, D Rosenbaum, R Curry, (2nd down) D Jones, C Matson, D Staum, M Hoffman, R Peterson, D Turner, T Norby, D Kavanaugh, (3rd) T Larson, G Hieb, C Pederson, P Stewart, A Erickson, K George, K Erickson, P Ketterling, (4th down) P Rehling, M DeSmet, J Bradshaw, E Rosenbaum, L Erickson, S Bennett, G Franey, D Pesika, (5th) R Pederson, J

Nilges, R Schoen, H Franey, T Zeller, B Davis, E Huffstetler, (6th) A Talbott, L Schoen, L Morris, J Richardson, R Eslick, S Taylor, S Morris, C Gates, J Grothe, (7th) L Pace, R Hieb, A Quam, S DeSmit, J Richardson, K Grothe, B Merchant, M Butler, (8th) C Erickson, R Henze, J Donnelly, B Henze, L Long, A Nickles, D Hanson, K Holden, T Peskey, (Bottom) G Boline, T Kastrup, M Broderson, Advisor, R Schaffer.



FIRST YEAR

V O L L E Y B A L L



VARSITY Back L to R: P. Stewart, C. Gates, L. Erickson, S. Smith, A. Erickson, L. Pace, S. Morris, T. Hanson, K. Holsen, Coach Shaffer, Front L to R: Ka Holden, M. Butler, R. Hieb, D. Hanson, T. Peaskey, L. Steckelberg.

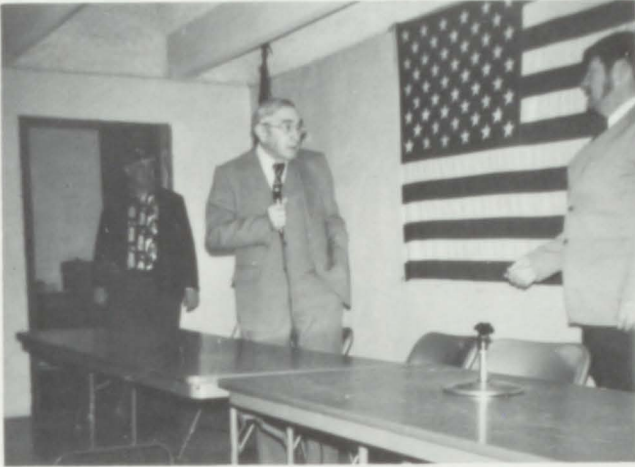


JV Back L to R: Coach Shaffer, A. Quam, T. Kayl, S. Desmet, L. Pecha, C. Rosenbaum, D. Hanson, J. Butler, S. Rosenbaum, L. Olsen, K. Mockler, Second L to R: L. Morris, C. Erickson, K. Kastrup, S. Guillaume, A. Talbot, D. Jones, L. Pratt, J. Thomas, First L to R: K. Koester, T. O'Gurian, A. Turner, T. Hanson.



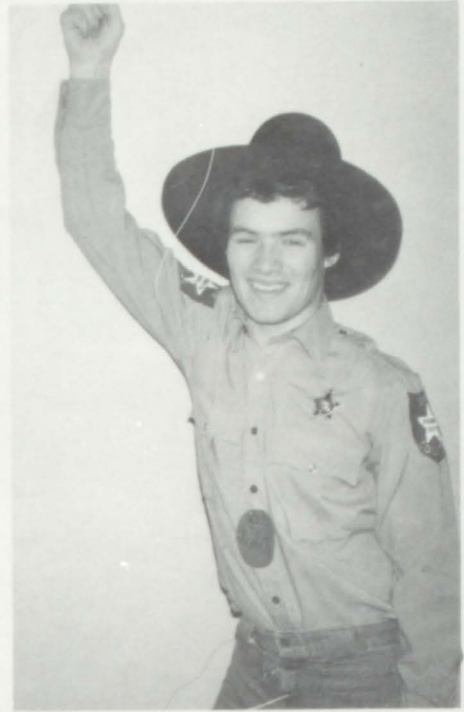
GOVT. DAYS

On Feb. 2nd the familiar chants and mottos were once again heard in the school. The Senior Government Days had originally been intended as a learning experience. Today not only is it educational, but fun for all involved. The usual promises and speeches were made followed by an election. On Feb. 7th, the class was invited by the Legion to a mock trial and a question period. The Auxillary served refreshments.



**DON'T BE RED —
VOTE FED!**

Feds chrmn J. Richardson, Sts Atty D. Jones, Mayor D. Staum, Shrf M. Hoffman.

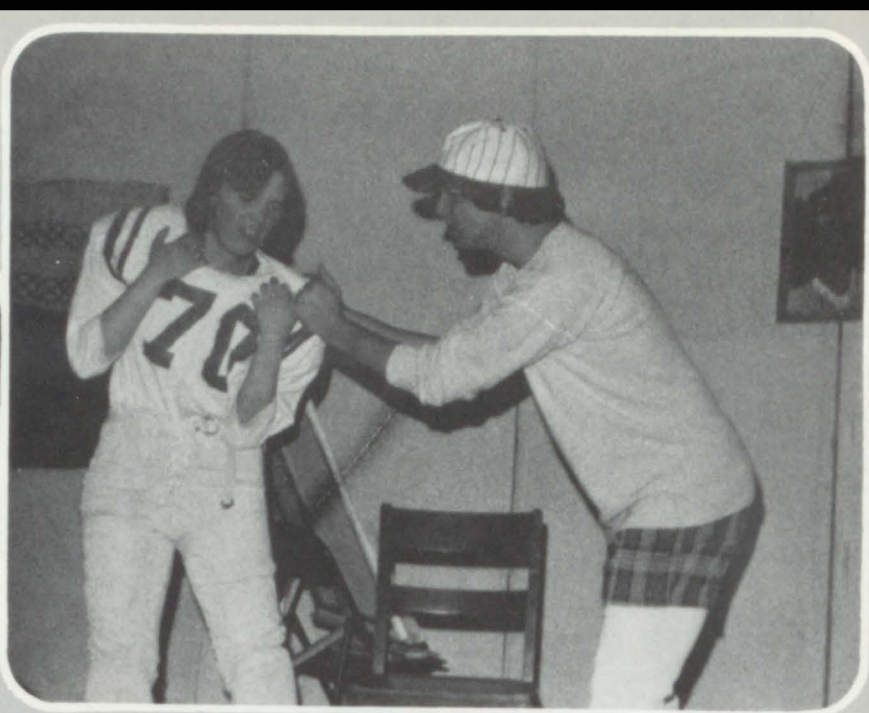


**NATS.
ARE
NEAT!**





Er and Der.



Here - in front of Mona Lisa?



I'm so confused!

Is it safe to come out now?



Ya put your left foot in,
ya put your left foot out . . .

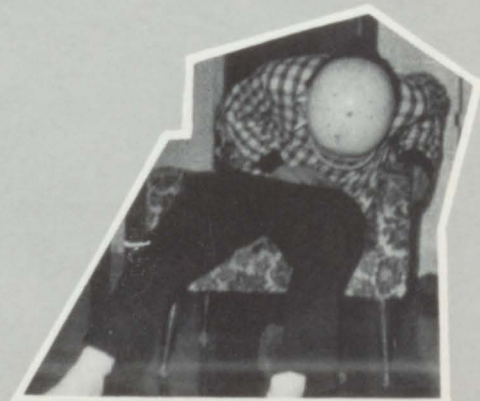
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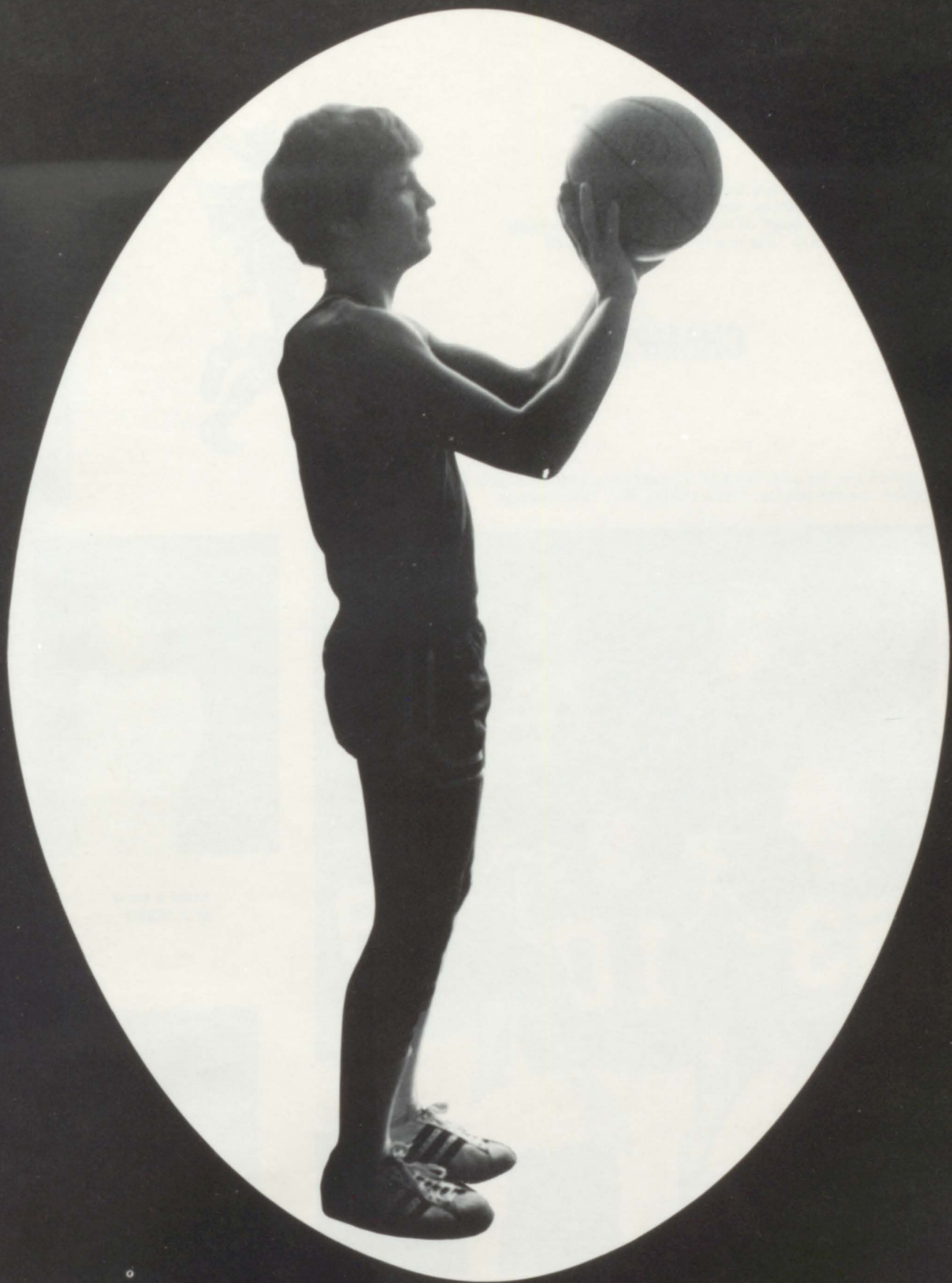


Oh, darn!



Looking for something?





SPORTS

CONFERENCE

I eat my toasties every morn;
potatoes, carrots, meat and corn;
A quart of milk, some good fresh fruit;
will help me fill my football suit!

CHAMPS

Pictured are the coaches and tri-captains. Left to Right: Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Nelson, Garret Boline, Dave Staum, and Tim Kastrup.



After a hard
days night!





Row 1: Mr. Nelson, R Curry, D Staum, T Kastrup, G Boline, M Hoffman, C Pederson, G Hieb, C Matson, G Franey, K Morris, Mr. Fletcher; Row 2: Mr. Reed, T Zeller, K Erickson, B Davis, D Guillaume, D Donnelly, M Broderson, S Abraham, M Crow, R Peterson, J Bradshaw, Mr. Hofer; Row 3: J Nilges, B Chicione, D Kavanaugh, A Knecht, S Bennett, L Brewer, R Graves, P Ketterling, T McInerny, E Huffstler, D Kayl; Row 4: D Pesika, H Jones, S Staum, R Schoen, J Rosenbaum, R Pederson, K Gates, R Mead, B Brummond, A Pace, M DeSmet; Row 5: D Turner, G Carter, Do. Pesika, R Smith, C Oberg, J Bowar, G George, R Milage, T Staum (light), R Erickson, K George; Row 6: T Staum (dark), R Carter, D Bird, B DeSmet, C Nelson, M Rozell, P Davis, M Rosenbaum, H Franey, G Kayl.

Alcester	7	19
West Sioux	12	14
Flandreau*	16	13
Beresford*	28	6
Lennox*	41	6
Brandon-Valley*	13	18
Canton*	21	6
West Central*	27	6
Yankton J.V.	28	6
*Big "8" Conference		

The Pointers completed a successful football season with a 6-3 record. They claimed part of a 3-way tie for conference title. Their conference record was 5-1. Elk Point defeated Canton for the first time since 1955. Pointers suffered non-conference losses to West Sioux and Alcester. Their only conference loss was to Brandon-Valley. Eight players were named to the All Conference team. Garret Boline was named All State and Tim Kastrup was on the honorable mention.





Pictured left:
ALL CONFERENCE PLAYERS
1977
GARRET BOLINE
TIM KASTRUP
DAVID STAUM
GARY FRANEY
CHRIS PEDERSON
KENT MORRIS
RUSS CURRY
TIM ZELLER



Pictured right:
ALL STATE
HONORABLE MENT.
Garret Boline
Tim Kastrup

The following Seniors led the team to a tri-Big "8" conference championship: Left to right, Steve Abraham, Mark Hoffman, Russ Curry, Chris Pederson, Tim Kastrup, Dave Staum, Garret Boline, Kent Morris, Rich Peterson, Mike Crow, Gary Hieb, Gary Franey, and Craig Matson.





COED CROSS COUNTRY

Above: Senior participants in Cross Country are L to R, D. Jones, J. Nelson, T. Larson.



State Qualifiers D. Jones and S. DeSmet are pictured with Coach Knutson. Sheila placed 17th in State meet.



Top row:
Mr. Knutson,
A. Skogtn,
D. Jones, D.
Rusenbaum,
J. Nelson, T.
Larson,
Bottom row;
S. DeSmet,
K. Nickles,
O. Morse, E.
Nickles, T.
Murphy.



Above: VARSITY: M Butler, L Steckelberg, T Pesky, A Erickson, A Nickles, K Holden, A Quam, C Gates, L Pace, L Schoen, T Hanson, J Rosenbaum, Coach Melhof. This was Coach Melhof's first year coaching at EPHS, Lori Pace leading scorer and also leading rebounder, Merrie Butler led the team in defense.



GIRLS BASKETBALL



Right: Seniors Leading the team: A Erickson, L Pace, L Schoen, A Nickles, and K Holden and pictured with Coach Melhof.



B-Squad

Above: B-Squad: Back Ka. Holden, T Kayl, K Kastrup, Coach Somsen, R Hieb, S Hummel, L Pecha, Front A Talbott, S Guillaume, D Hanson, D Jones, A Turner.



Left: FRESHMAN: Back A Erickson, L Gapp, K Rosenbaum, Coach Schaffer, K Hanson, E Curry, S Hoffman, Middle J Bjork, T Staum, C Grandgaard, D Pojunos, Front D Peterson, A Lawrence, T Hanson, L Hatton, J Butler.



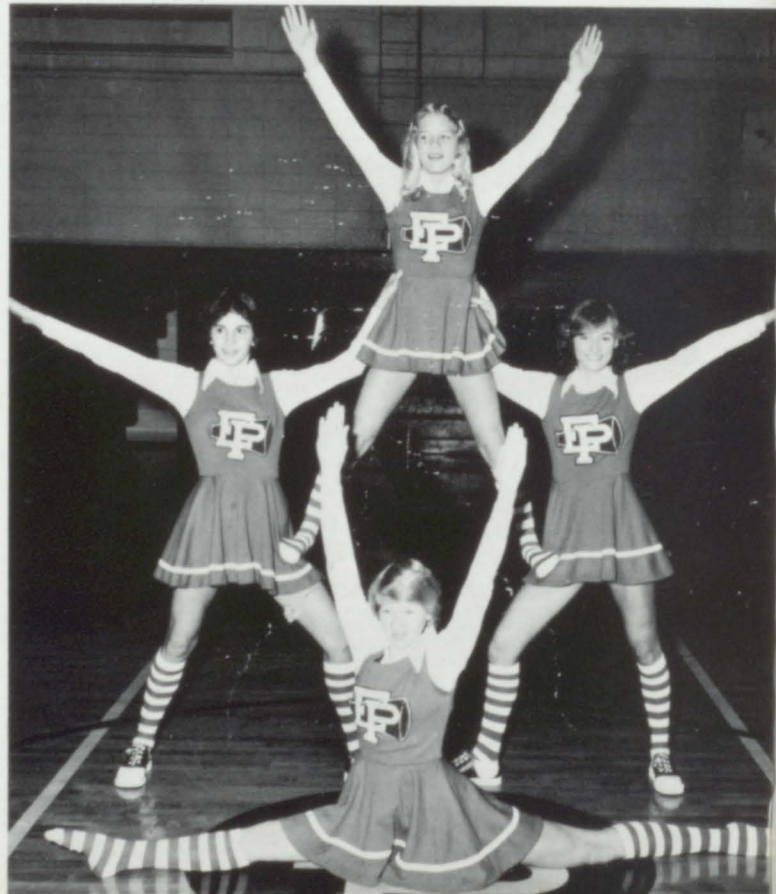
Above: Lori Pace was selected for All Conference for the second year. Merrie Butler was chosen for honorable mention.



Above: Girls Basketball cheerleaders; Babette Merchant, Carole Erickson, Joni Donnelly, and Lisa Ericksen. Below: Football cheerleaders; Lisa Long, Rhonda Henze, Brenda Henze, and Sandi Morris.



Below: Freshmen cheerleaders; Jill Butler, Teresa Staum, Candy Gragaard, and Kelly Rosenbaum.





Above: Varsity Boys Basketball cheerleaders; Brenda Henze, Ann Erickson, Lisa Erickson, and Merrie Butler.

POINTER

Left: Wrestling cheerleaders; Rhonda Henze, Denise Hansen, Lisa Long, and Sandi Morris.

MACHINE

Below: Jr. Varsity Boys Basketball cheerleaders; Carole Erickson, Kristy Kastrup, Allison Quam, and Rose Hieb.



WE ARE THE



Varsity: Top row, L-R, Coach Fletcher, A. Pace, S. Bennett, T. Zeller, E. Rosenbaum, D. Pesicka, T. Kastrup, C. Pederson, Coach Schaffer, Bottom row, Mgr. J. Akridge, C. Matson, D. Staum, L. Lanning, G. Franey, T. Larsen, K. Erickson, G. Hieb, A. Knecht, Mgr. T. Hummel.

POINTERS CLAIM FIRST IN BIG 8, DISTRICT 23, AND REGION 6, STATE B RUNNER-UP!



Left: Coach Schaffer accepts the first place trophy at Regionals. Right: Todd Larsen had the honor of removing the game net after we claimed Region 6 title.



CHAMPIONS



B-Squad: O. Morris, R. Pederson, R. Schoen, J. Rosenbaum, H. Franey, T. Sundleaf, J. Nilges, T. Murphy, K. Gates, S. Staum, Coach Fletcher, Front row, Mgrs. J. Akridge, T. Hummel.

Freshmen: Back row, Coach Hofer, J. Bower, R. Carter, P. Davis, D. Bird, C. Nelson, T. Lane, M. Rozell, Front row, H. Jones, E. Nickles, D. Vinzant, De Pesicka, B. DeSmet, J. Malloy, T. Staum.





Above, Seniors: Back, Larry Lanning, Gary Franey, Tim Kastrup, Chris Pederson, and Todd Larsen. Front, Craig Matson, David Staum, and Gary Hieb.

Optimism and enthusiasm were key words as the Pointers entered the 1977-78 basketball season. Nine returning letter-winners and the tallest group of juniors in recent school history were the keys as the Pointers attempted to make, "1978 THE YEAR WE GO TO STATE."

The Pointers opened the season with six consecutive victories, dropped a game to Freeman, and came back to capture runner-up honors in the Big 8 Tournament by falling to guest team Marion. The only other regular season loss came to Parker, as the Pointers finished the regular season with an excellent 16-3 record.

Highlights of the season included a resounding victory over the Flandreau Fliers in the first conference game of the season, two late game victories over the Canton C-Hawks, two come from behind victories over the Beresford Watchdogs, two victories over District 23 rival Alcester, defeating Vermillion, and a revenge victory over Freeman in the Region 6 Tournament.

Tournament play included three District victories, the first Region 6 championship, and a second place finish in the State "B" tournament, as Elk Point was represented in the State tournament for the first time.

The final 23-4 record was the most wins ever by a Pointer team, and was also the best winning percentage ever topping the 17-3 mark of the 1954-55 team.



Left: Shots like this earned Tim Kastrup places on the 1st All State, All Tournament & All Conference teams.



Above: Doug Pesicka was placed on the All Conference, All Tournament, and 5th All State teams.

Six senior letterwinners provided leadership through the season, as Gary Franey, Gary Hieb, Tim Kastrup, Todd Larsen, Chris Pederson, and David Staum played key roles in the team success. Six juniors joined the above tournament team, as Stuart Bennett, Kendall Erickson, Allen Pace, Doug Pesicka, Eric Rosenbaum, and Tim Zeller bring promise of more exciting basketball to Elk Point next season. Craig Matson, who suffered an early season injury, Larry Lanning, Alan Knecht, and Jim Rosenbaum were also members of the team.

Individual standouts were Tim Kastrup who was selected First Team All State, All Tournament, and All Conference; Doug Pesicka, All Tournament, All Conference, and fifth team All State; Tim Zeller, All Conference and fourth team All State; and David Staum, All Conference Honorable Mention.

South Dakota "Coach of the Year" Roger Schaffer.



Left: Tim Zeller earned positions on the All Conference and 4th All State teams. Right: Dave Staum was named to honorable mention All Conference.



WE WILL WE WILL

	THEY	WE
Centerville	34	55
Akron	50	79
Flandreau Indians	59	86
Flandreau Public*	48	71
Wakonda	49	60
Alcester	65	67
Freeman	60	52
Canton*	60	61
Beresford*	58	69
Marion	52	51
Beresford*	72	74
Lennox*	43	59
Irene	49	79
Brandon*	46	58
Parker	56	53
Canton*	54	55
West Central*	58	72
Vermillion	47	55
Jefferson	60	88
Alcester	56	62
Jefferson	60	72
Wakonda	59	78
Freeman	51	60
Beresford	57	66
Tri-Valley	63	64
Custer	53	70
Armour	57	53
*Big 8		



A good beginning,

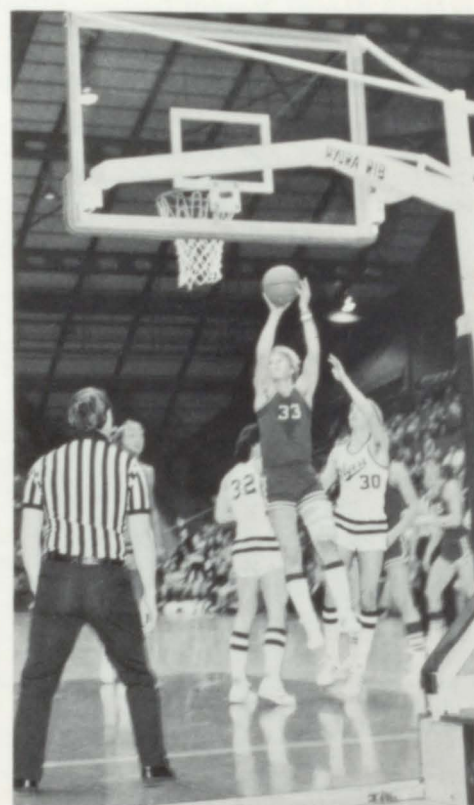
STOMP



YOU!



And a happy ending!



CHEERLEADERS PEPPIEST



Left, Ann Erickson, Lisa Erickson, Peg Rehling, Carole Erickson, & Rose Hieb, Brenda Henze, Merrie Butler, Kris Kastrup, & Allison Quam.



P-O-I-N-T-E-R-S, Let's Go!

The Elk Point cheerleaders received the State "B" "Spirit of Six" award. Their enthusiasm and ability to keep everyone fired-up helped them to win their award.



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WELCOME HOME GUYS





WRESTLERS PIN GOOD SEASON

Above: Varsity Mgr. S Guillaume, Coach Nelson, Mgr. J Groethe, Squad: M Crow, Hwt; B Davis, 185; G Boline, 167; D Guillaume, 155; D Kavanaugh, 145; B Brummond, 138; M Broderson, 132; R Erickson, 126; T Norby, 119; D Turner, 112; M Rosenbaum, 105; G Kayl, 98.



The wrestling team ended this successful season with an even win-loss record of 5-5 in dual matches. The Pointers sent seven members of the team to the Regional Tourney: D Guillaume, D Turner, M Broderson, K George, D Kavanaugh, B Davis, and B Brummond. Dan Guillaume and David Turner were the only two out of the seven, that advanced to the State Meet in Sioux Falls. Guillaume took second while Turner placed fourth. Together they had a score of 32 pts., the most ever scored by the Pointer team, in which they placed 15th as a team.



Left, Co-Captains: Dan Guillaume and Mark Broderson.

DUAL MEETS	WE	THEY
Tyndall-Tabor	22	29
Centerville	61	6
Akron	51	12
Brandon-Valley	27	33
Beresford	16	31
Canton	24	31
Lennox	26	28
West Central	16	41

TOURNEY PLACEMENTS

Early Bird Tourney	1st
Akron Tourney	5th
Elk Point Invitational	3rd
Big "8" Conference	3rd
Districts	3rd
Regionals	9th
State	15th



Above, Seniors: Garret Boline and Mike Crow.

Below: Jr. Varsity, Mgrs. S Guillaume & J Groethe. Team: T Nelson, R Smith, B Pohlen, D Kayl, K George, T McInerney, Coach Nelson, T Staum, G George, J Rosenbaum, S Schmitz, S Peskey, W Chicione, T Rosenbaum.



GUYS ON THE GO!



Above—l to r—Back row—Distance—D. Jones, B. Davis, D. Staum, J. Nelson, D. Rosenbaum, T. Larson, and Coach Knudson. First row—D. Knecht, T. Murphy, M. Rosenbaum, P. Davis, K. Nickles, and B. DeSmet.

Below—l to r—Back row—Sprinters—M. Rosell, J. Rosenbaum, T. Kastrup, T. Zeller, S. Bennett, D. Pesicka, G. Franey, and Coach Knudson. First row—R. Carter, A. Knecht, M. Hoffman, J. Bradshaw, J. Bowar, R. Mead, and R. Pederson.





Above- l to r-Back row-Field Avents-Coach Nelson, C. Pederson, P. Ketterling, S. Bennett, D. Pesicka, D. Kayl, G. Boline, B. Chicoine, C. Nelson, and D. Bird. First row-M. Limoges, T. Peskey, S. Staum, E. Nickles, M. Broderson, R. Smith, and K. Rosenbaum.

The boys finished with four wins, one of which was earned in the Region V Tournament. They finished with 14 points to conquer 7th place in the State Meet. One Record was set this year. It was set by David Staum in the 880 run, with a time of 1:57.6. Despite the upset and the victories the team finished well for the season.

Below-l to r-Back row-Seniors-Coach Knudson, C. Pederson, G. Boline, J. Nelson, G. Franey, T. Kastrup, and Coach Nelson. First row-M. Hoffman, D. Jones, D. Staum, and T. Larson.



Right, Sprinters: I to r, Back row J. Butler, A. Quam, E. Curry, S. DeSmet, A. Erickson, and Coach Fletcher. First row, T. Hanson, M. Butler, T. Peskey, D. Hanson, L. Morris, and S. Staum, mgr.



EASE ON DOWN THE ROAD

Below Back row, Sprinters: T. Peskey, C. Erickson, A. Quam, L. Gapp, and A. Erickson. Front row: A. Lawrence, T. Staum, K. Koester, and R. Hieb.

The 1978 Girl's Track team opened up their season by taking 1st place in the EP Invitational. As the season progressed so did the team. Eight records were set, two of which team. Eight records were set, three of which were relay teams. A New event was added, the Medley relay. It consisted of Teresa Staum, Cary Koester, Joan Richardson, and Denise Hanson.

Five girls earned their way to the State Meet. They were Allison Quam, Tammy Peskey, Jill Butler, Merrie Butler, and Joan Richardson. The girls earned a tie for 9th.





Left, Field Events,
Back row, l to r:
S. Guillaume, A.
Quam, K. Holden,
C. Rosenbaum, J.
Groethe, T.
Hanson, L. Pace,
and Coach Melhaf.
Front: A. Talbott,
E. Curry, J. Butler,
K. Holden, A.
Turner, and J.
Richardson.

78 RECORDS

Long Jump	16'93/4
High Jump	4'11"
Shot Put	33'9"
Mile Run	5:53.6
880 yd. Run	2:23.0
Mile Relay	4:11.0
880 yd. Relay	1:53.4
Medley Relay	4:39.9

Allison Quam
Joan Richardson
Terri Hanson
Sheila DeSmet
Merrie Butler
Tammy Peskey, Allison Quam,
Merrie Butler, and Jill Butler.
Carole Erickson, Tammy Peskey,
Teresa Staum, and Allison Quam.
Teresa Staum, Cary Koester,
Joan Richardson, and Denise
Hanson.



Left, Seniors: Joan Richardson,
Coach Mark Melhaf, Ann
Erickson, Sandy Staum, mgr;
and Kristi Holden.



Back row, left to right—Coach Fletcher, H. Franey, J. Kubal, J. Nilges, J. Pratt, B. Simmons. 2nd row—D. Turner, E. Huffstetler, K. Gates, T. Norby, B. Pohlen, K. Erickson, B. Brummond, M. Tucker, H. Jones, K. O'Gurian. 1st row—D. Knox, D. Milburn, T. Honomichle, S. Robinson, R. Eslick, S. Taylor, P. Rehling, L. Livingston, A. Nickles, M. Broderson, L. Erickson, and T. O'Gurian.

SWINGING INTO SPRING

Seniors leading the golf team were:

Jim Pratt—3 years
 Susan Robinson—4 years
 Robin Eslick—4 years
 Mike Tucker—1 year
 Shirley Taylor—3 years
 Lisa Erickson—1 year
 Coach Fletcher
 Anita Nickles—2 years





STUDENT LIFE

KING GARRET BOLINE
QUEEN LISA ERICKSON





Craig Matson



Sandy Staum

Attendants

Anita Nickles

Doug Jones

HOMEcoming 1977

The theme for Homecoming Corination '77 was 'Fairyland' featuring Snow White and Prince Charming.

The mixed chorus performed the traditional "Congratulations," and "Sweetheart of Elk Point High." They also sang the number "Happy Heart." Instead of announcing the King and Queen before the audience, the old tradition of announcing the Royalty in the Music Room was brought back.

King Garret Boline and Queen Lisa Erickson reigned over the Homecoming festivities. The other candidates for Queen were Anita Nickles and Sandy Staum, and King candidates were Craig Matson and Doug Jones. The Jr. attendants were Christi Gates

and Brenda Henze. The sophomore attendant was Ann Turner, and the Freshman attendant was Teresa Staum. The children in Homecoming were Bryan Mahan, Brian McInerney, Dominique McIntosh, Angie Eckert, Vicky Morris, and Chad Bice.

School was let out at noon Friday for the Pep Rally, followed by the Parade at 1:30. Elk Point hosted Lennox at 7:30, winning 41 to 6.

Following the game was the dance that started at 10:00. The band was "Cloudburst."

The Homecoming Royalty traveled to Beredford on Friday morning to have pictures taken by Graversons.



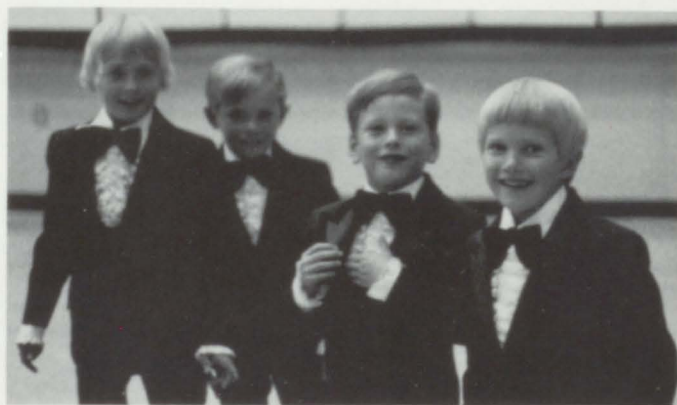
Royalty: Front, Brian Mahan, Vicky Morris, Dominique McIntosh, Chad Bice, Angie Eckert, and Devin Schimdt. Back, Ann Turner, Brenda Henze, Craig Matson, Anita Nickles, Queen Lisa Erickson, King Garret Boline, Sandy Staum, Doug Jones, Christy Gates, and Teresa Staum.

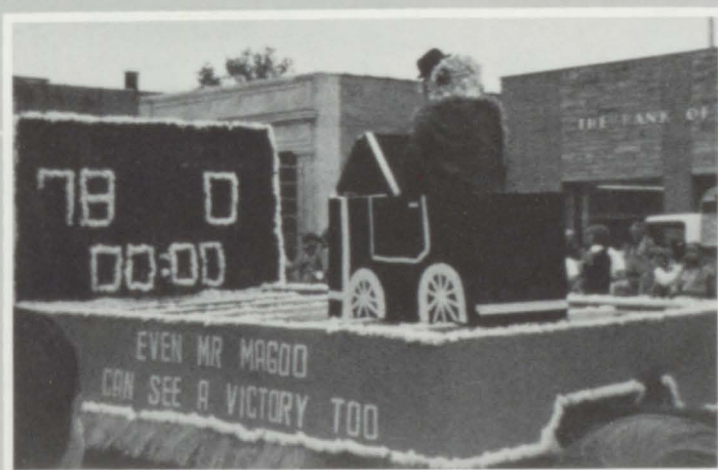


Attendants, Doug and Sandy.



Brian, Dominique, Chad and Devin.







SENIORS PRESENT:

THEY RUN IN OUR FAMILY

Peggy Pennywinner
Alvin Pennywinner
Pat Pennywinner
Pat Pennywinner
Buzz Pennywinner
Chester Mullins
Agnes Pennywinner
Aunt Alice
Seymour Pennywinner
Coach Pennywinner
Mrs. Speel

ANN ERICKSON
JEFF NELSON
KRISTI HOLDEN
KRISTI HOLDEN
DAVID STAUM
TODD LARSON
LORI SCHOEN
PAULINE CHICOINE
GARRETT BOLINE
CHRIS PEDERSON
ANGIE GUIMOND

Josie Speel
Dimple Dillard
Mitzie Jones
Cindy Sanders
Harold Gilley
Alexander Smith
Dr. Paul Andrew
Midge
Mrs. Andrews
Radio Announcer

SANDY STAUM
ANN HANSON
PAULA STEWART
LISA ERICKSON
RICH PETERSON
CRAIG MATSON
DOUG JONES
LORI PACE
DIM GROETHE
MARK HOFFMAN

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SNOWY WHITE AND THE DWARFS

DWARFS:

Paul Ketterling - Narrator
Merrie Butler - Snowy White
Colleen Curry - Queen
Keith George - Mirror
Mike DeSmet - Prince Humperfink



Mark Broderson - Rattler
Dan Guillaume - Gears
Dan Rosenbaum - Spider
Todd Norby - Chewy
Duane Kavanaugh - Scareface
Tony Chicoine - Patch
Brian Davis - Muggsy



IT'S COLD IN THEM THAR HILLS

Doug Pescika - Paw
Jo Groethe - Maw
Cyndi Smith - Snoddy
Eileen Workman - Prissy Lou
Sandi Morris - Mandy
Lori Chicoine - Becky Mae

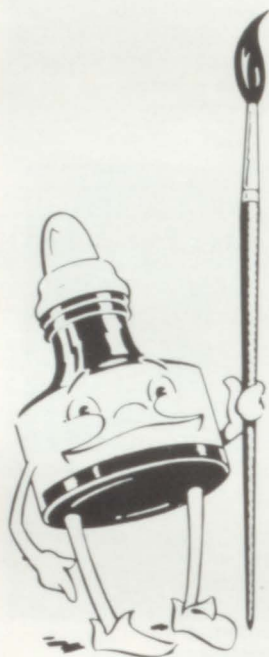
Christie Gates - Sarray
Denise Hansen - Neelie Ann
Stuart Bennett - Zeke
David Turner - Bill Vandemere
Peg Rehling - Mrs. Vandemere
Brian Chicoine - The Preacher



THE FARMERS DAUGHTER

Brenda Henze - Sally McDougal
Kelly Nickles - Annie McDougal
Ronnie Graves - Pa McDougal

Rhetta Groethe - Ma McDougal
Kendall Erickson - Willie Singletree
Doug Kayl - Villain-Benjamin J. Slick



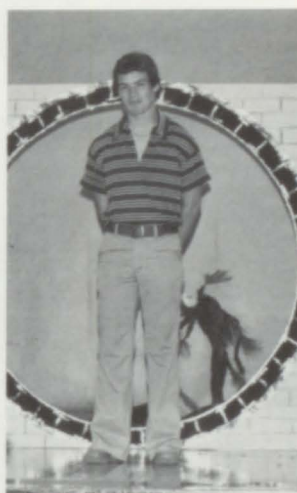
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DISPLAY
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KLUMPER**



ORIENTAL THEME

STYLE SHOW

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(Above) Mrs. Boilard giving Anne Hanson the John Phillips Sousa award.



(Above) Mrs. Torkelson giving vocal awards.

MAY 19



(Above) Mr. Hofer gives Tim Kastrup a science award.



(Above) Miss DeBates presenting Robin Chicoine an annual certificate.

(Below, left) Mr. Schaffer giving Daryl Fletcher an Assistant Coach of the Year Award.

(Below) Mr. Schaffer presenting special basketball honors to Tim Kastrup, Doug Pesicha, Tim Zeller and David Staum.





(Above) Mr. Nelson presenting Dan Guillaume with a trophy for Best Win/Loss record for the wrestling season.



(Above) Mr. Johnson presenting honor awards to senior honor students.

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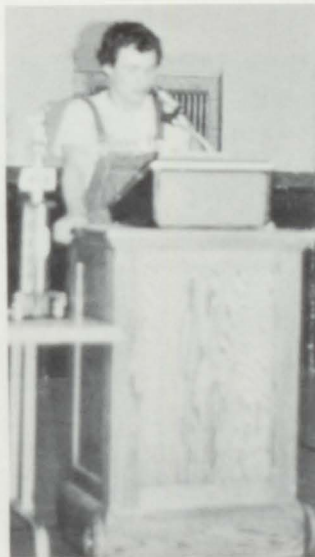


(Above) Mr. Fletcher recognizing the girls golf team for winning their first conference title.

(Below) Miss Ahmann presenting Tim Kastrop with a math award.



(Below) Mark Hoffman was chosen to read the senior will. The class willed many unusual things and presented Peg Rehling The Mixing Bowl.



"THIS ONE'S FOR YOU"

This years Junior-Senior Prom theme was, "This One's for you." Speakers were Colleen Curry who was toast mistress of ceremonies, Doug Pesika and Sandi Morris recited a poem for the seniors. John Guenthner (Eng. teacher) gave a speech saying there are two

kinds of people, builders and destroyers. If you are a builder you will achieve whatever you set out to do. The music was by the band "Hush." Prom was held at the Oasis in Sioux City.





GET UP AND BOOGIE





AMERICAN LEGION ESSAY

American Legion Essay Contest winners in the High School division were Sheila DeSmet and Blaine Brummond. The topic of the essays were, "What America means to me."

DAR

Sandy Staum received the Daughters of the American Revolution award. This award recognizes the outstanding young citizen of Elk Point High School.



GIRLS'-BOYS' STATE

Tim Kastrup, Sandy Staum, Russ Curry, and Mary Dennison attended Girl's State, sponsored by the auxiliary, and Boy's State, sponsored by the American Legion. They attended these week long government camps in June, of their Junior year.



We chew smokeless tobacco.

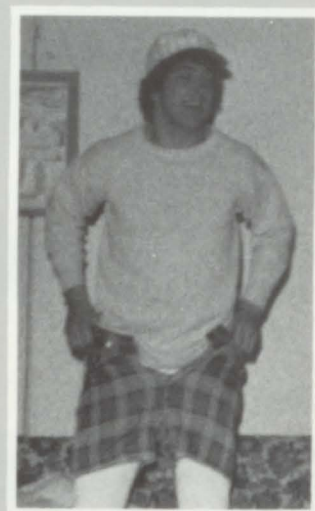


John Boy finally got married and had kids.



Lori and Doug fighting again?

grow!!!



Who could it be at this time of night?

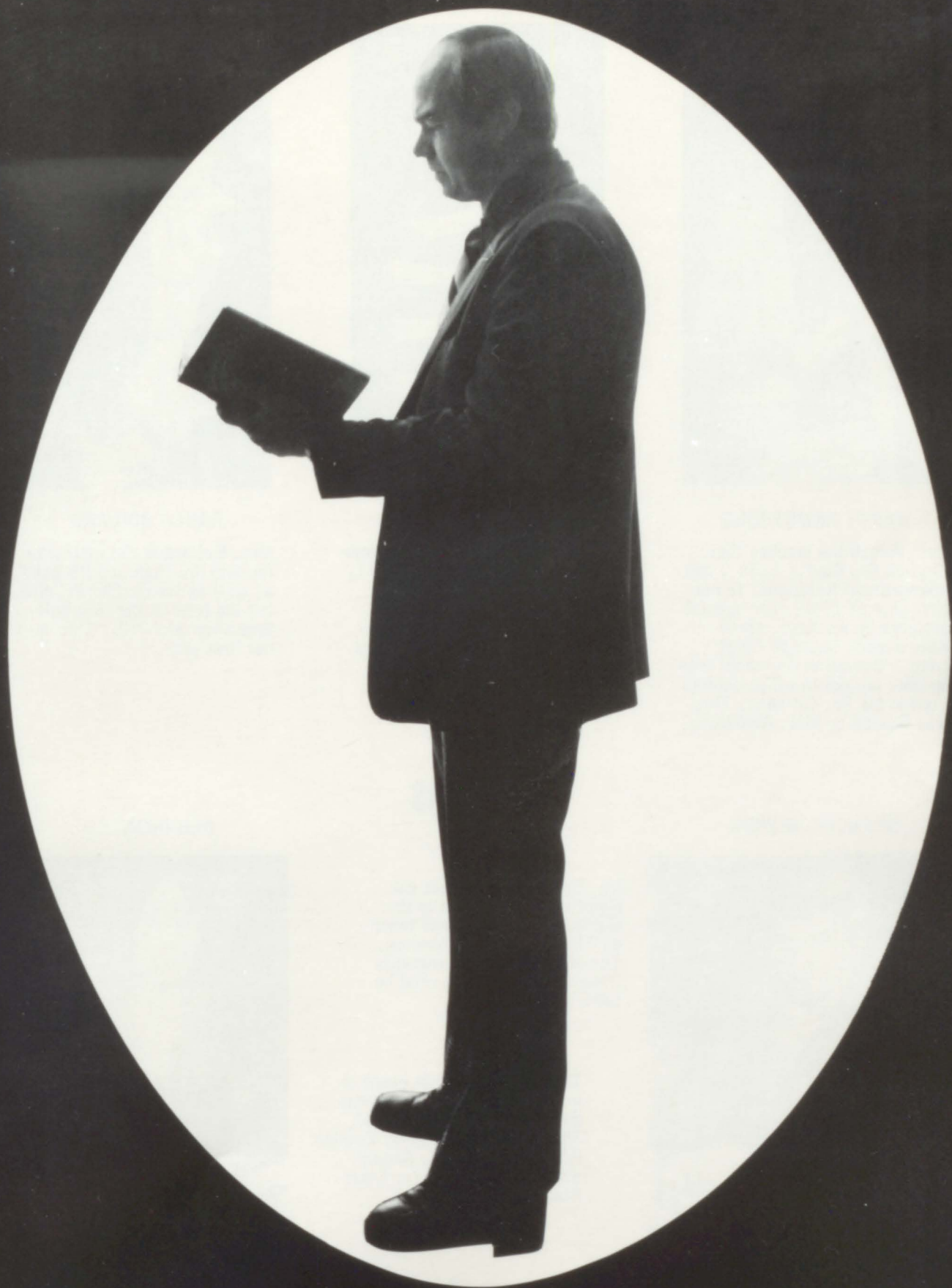


I'M ticked.



Me Tarzan, you Jane.





ACADEMICS



MARTY ARMSTRONG

Mrs. Armstrong teaches Con. English IV, Govt., Econ., and International Relations. In her first year at EPHS, her special projects by the Govt. class were a mock Supreme Court case. "Operation Outreach" was another project in which seniors visited the Sr. Citizens. This was headed by Mrs. Armstrong.



RITA AHMANN

Rita Ahmann is in her first year at EPHS. She teaches Math I, Algebra I and II, Geometry, Trigonometry, and Sr. Math. She likes the enthusiasm, industriousness and friendliness of the students.



PAULA BOILARD

Mrs. Boilard is the instructor for both Jr. High and HS band, as well as Men's Chorus. She led the band in the first half-time show at EPHS. This is her first year.

ZOO KEEPERS

SPENCER BRENDE

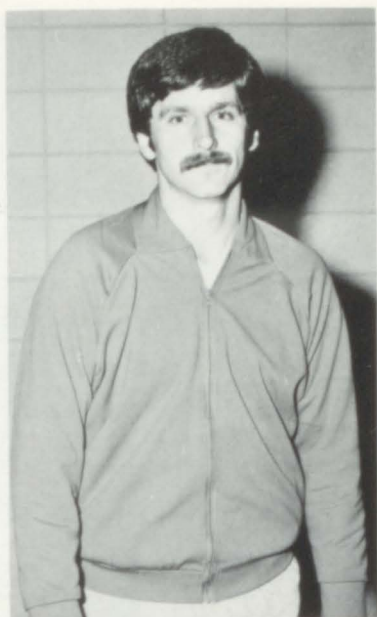


Mr. Brende has been at Elk Point for 7 years. He is the Guidance Counselor and teaches 7th grade Social Studies. The attitude of the community towards the school is what he likes most about EP.

The most memorable event of Miss DeBates' first year was the very first day of school. She teaches English II, English IV, College Prep., Annual Staff advisor, and Sr. Class Play director.

DEB DeBATES





DARYL FLETCHER

Mr. Fletcher enjoys working with students, both teaching and coaching them. He's assistant Football and Basketball coach, Boys and Girls Golf coach, teaches Physical Science, and Boys Physical Ed. and is also Chairman of the Freshman Class. Mr. Fletcher has been here five years.

Jane Fletcher has been at Elk Point for four years. She teaches physical education for grades 1-10. She is also Pep Club advisor, cheerleader advisor, and girls track coach.



JANE FLETCHER



JOHN GUENTHER

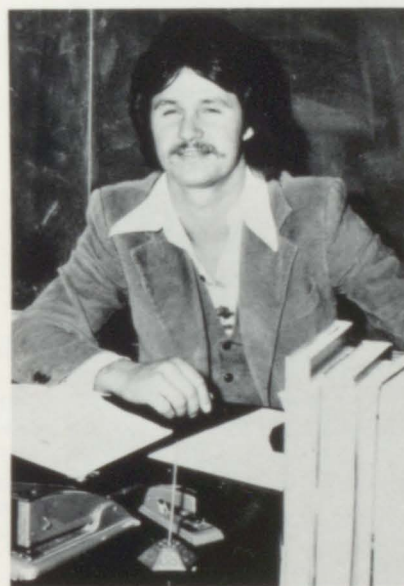
As Clark Hofer's first year here he is kept very busy. He teaches two sections of CP Biology, two sections of General Biology, CP Physics, CP Chemistry, coaches Fresh. Football, Basketball, and Track.



CLARK HOFER



Mr. Guentner is the teacher of English I and II. He coaches the Declam team and the Jr. class play. He has been here two years and likes the well behavior of the students. He enjoys working with the students because it can be so rewarding.

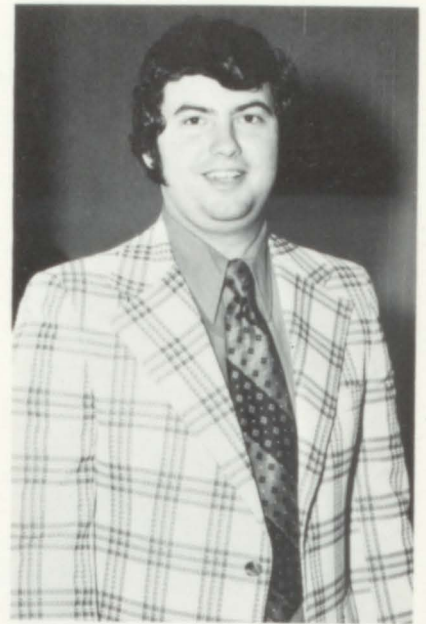




JERRY KLUMPER

This is Mr. Klumper's first year at EPHS. He likes the people and is trying teaching to see if he likes it. He teaches Art 7-12. Art classes are bigger than ever this year.

This is Mark Mehlhaf's first year at EPHS. He is teaching 7 and 8 Science and coaching girls varsity Basketball, JH Basketball, Volleyball and also assistant girls track. His most memorable event of the year was coaching the girls Basketball team.



MARK MEHLAF

Mr. Nelson has been at EPHS now for 5 years. He teaches 7-8 grade Math and is the Coach for the Football and Wrestling teams and is assistant Track Coach. He enjoys the rewards of teaching and the interest of students in school activities.

GLEN NELSON

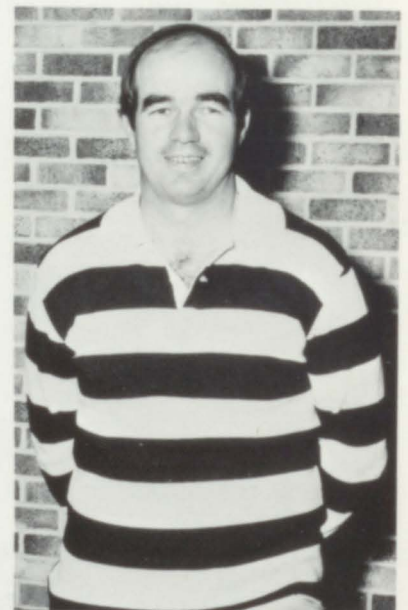


This is Mr. Knutson's 7 year here and his most memorable event is winning the 1977 State Track meet. Mr. Knutson teaches Business Law, accounting, typing, Boy's track and cross country and JH Basketball.

ROGER SCHAFER



This is Mr. Scheffer's 12th year at EPHS. He enjoys teaching American History, World History, and study halls. Mr. Scheffer is Athletic Director and coaches Boy's Basketball and Frosh Girls Basketball. He also takes care of the letterwinners club and workers for the concession.





PATTY SKINNER

Mrs. Skinner is the teacher of 7 and 8 grade English, 7 grade French, French I, and the Pointer Advisor. Mrs. Skinner has been here since 1970 and during these seven years she's been teacher's aid for one year and six years of teaching. Her most memorable event was directing the class plays.



JANE TORKELSON

The thing Mrs. Torkelson likes best about EPHS is the student participation and enthusiasm shown to her in her musical field. She teaches vocal music for grades 3-12. Including Mixed Chorus, Boy's and Girl's Chorus, and Small Ensemble. This is her 6 year at EPHS.

Miss Vondrak has taught at EP for 19 years. She picked the teaching profession for the reason she enjoys working with the students and that every day is different. She teaches 8 grade Home Ec, Home Ec I, II and III, also the Jr. class sponsor.

DELORES VONDRAK



LINDA STENE

After 10 years of employment at EPHS, Mrs. Stene still gets her enjoyment out of working with young people. Among the courses taught by Mrs. Stene are 8th grade typing and Social Studies, high school Office Practice and Shorthand.



CARMEN WILCOX

Mrs. Wilcox has the duties of librarian, Jr Class sponsor, English I, and Library Science. Mrs. Wilcox has been at EPHS for 3 years. She feels that the students are quite well-behaved and she enjoys the company of young adults.



HEAD MASTERS

Mr. Swier has been at EPHS for 12 years. During these 12 years he's taught 9 years of Math. He has been principal for 3 years. At the present time he is superintendent.



LEON A. SWIER



DAILY OCCURRENCE

Besides being principal of EPHS Mr. Johnson also teaches second semester agriculture. Mr. Johnson has been here for 3 years and says what he likes best about EP is the location and the students.



ERROL JOHNSON



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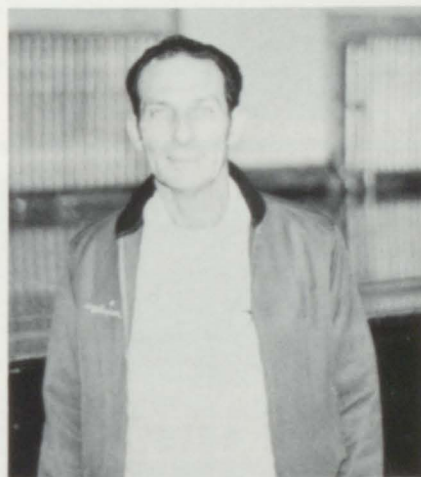
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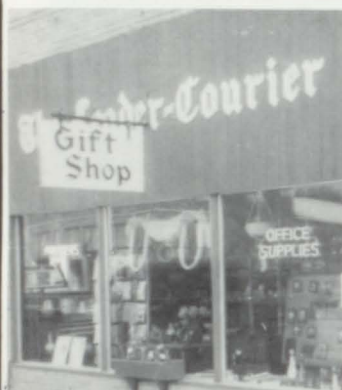
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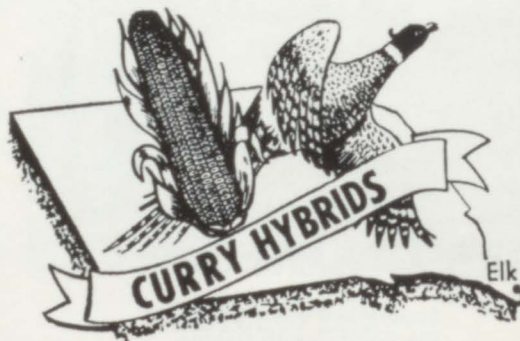
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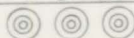
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